

Alfred G. Wilsons Give MSU Estate to Launch Branch College in County

Congress Opens; Ike Will Present Plan for Mideast

WASHINGTON (INS)—The Democratic 85th Congress convened today with President Eisenhower once again confronted by a House and Senate controlled by the opposition party.

Both houses met at noon (EST) to organize and elect officers. House proceedings were expected to follow a routine pattern, but an anti-filibuster rule may enliven the Senate.

House Democrats and Republicans, in separate caucuses, selected their leaders yesterday.

Senate Republicans planned to continue Sen. William Knowland as floor leader and Sen. Styles Bridges as policy committee chairman, and to name Sen. Leverett Saltonstall as party conference chairman to succeed retired Sen. Eugene Millikin. The question of the successor to Saltonstall as party whip remained up in the air.

Five-term Democratic Gov. Frank J. Lausche of Ohio, resigned the governorship in order to be in Washington to be sworn in as U.S. senator.

STILL UNDECIDED

The governor said he still had not decided how he will vote on the organization of the United States Senate but added that he would vote.

Without Lausche's vote, the Senate is split 48 Democrats and 47 Republicans. If Lausche jumped party lines to vote with the GOP his action would result in a tie vote, enabling Vice President Richard M. Nixon to give control of the Senate to the Republicans.

This will be the first time in 160 years that a president and an opposition Congress have taken over the reins of government in the wake of a presidential election. Whig President Zachary Taylor had to contend with a Democratic Congress in 1849.

The house was prepared to elect Rep. Sam Talliferro Rayburn (D-Tex) as speaker. The choice was not in doubt since the Democrats held a majority of 233 to 200 for the Republicans, with two vacancies.

Rep. John McCormack (D-Mass) continued as majority leader and Rep. Carl Albert (D-Okla) as majority whip.

The Republican leadership was also unchanged with former Speaker Joseph W. Martin Jr. of Massachusetts (Continued on Page 2, Col. 8)

Car Output Hits 5,601,854 in '56

'Big 3' Releases Final Figures; GM's Portion 3,699,144 Units

Auto output by the nation's "Big Three" reached a final figure of 5,601,854 units at the end of 1956, figures released by General Motors, Ford and Chrysler revealed today.

GM, biggest of the major auto-makers, turned out 3,210,606 passenger cars and 488,538 trucks. The overall total of 3,699,144 compared with 4,649,276 in 1955, the best year in the industry's history.

Ford's production reached 1,699,165 in 1956, compared with 2,349,661 in the previous year. The Chrysler Corp. produced a 1956 total of 576,322 passenger units against 1,361,534 in 1955.

Pontiac's output during the year was 332,268, according to GM spokesmen, while the GMC Truck & Coach Division accounted for 94,397 units in 1956.

Figures released today showed that Pontiac turned out 27,593 cars last month, while GMC produced 6,722 trucks and coaches in the same period.

The American Motors Corp., makers of Nash, Hudson and Rambler lines, reported that its 1956 production was 103,752, compared with 167,790 in 1955.

Studebaker-Packard, recently taken over by the Curtiss-Wright Aviation Corp., said it produced about 96,000 cars last year. The firm turned out about 175,000 passenger vehicles in 1955.

Surgery for Dorsey

NEW YORK (INS)—Bandleader Jimmy Dorsey was in Doctors Hospital today preparatory to an operation for "a very irritating wart on his left lung."

Pontiac Business Leader Honored Chamber of Commerce Directors Elect New Chief

The Board of Directors of the Pontiac Area Chamber of Commerce yesterday elected Howard O. Powers, 46, of 295 Cherokee Rd., president for 1957.

Other officers elected were: John A. Riley, first vice president; B. Ralph Eastridge, second vice president; Robert W. Emerick, secretary; and Stuart E. Whitfield, treasurer.

Powers succeeds Dr. George N. Petroff, the outgoing president.

INSTALLATION NEXT WEEK

All five officers, plus the 1957 elected members of the Board of Directors, will be installed at the Chamber's annual dinner meeting Jan. 15 at the Elks Temple.

Powers, for the last two years second and first vice president, is president and treasurer of the wholesale beverage distributing firm of Meles & Powers Inc. He is married and has two sons.

John A. Riley is promotion manager for The Pontiac Press, a position he has held since 1955. Prior to that time, he was assistant national advertising manager. He began with the newspaper in 1937.

B. Ralph Eastridge is manager of the local J. C. Penney Co. store. He started here in 1933. Eastridge, 43, lives at 2680 Garland Dr., Sylvan Lake.



HOWARD O. POWERS

Stuart E. Whitfield is vice president of Pontiac State Bank. Last week he was elected as one of five new members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber to serve 1957-58 terms.

Home and Furnishings Part of Gift to University



FABULOUS MANSION TO BECOME A COLLEGE — This is an air view of Meadow Brook Hall, on the Alfred G. Wilson estate east of Pontiac, on Adams Road, taken yesterday for the Pontiac Press. The mansion, built in 1926 at a cost of \$3,000,000 is part of

the Wilsons' gift to Michigan State University, revealed today. The gift also includes 1,400 acres of land, several groups of farm buildings, and numerous valuable works of art which the donors have acquired.

President Rejects Bulganin's Proposal for Five-Power Talks on Disarmament

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Eisenhower has told the Russians the United States will make "further proposals" on disarmament at the United Nations. But he has rejected, for the present at least, a Soviet proposal for five-power talks on the problem.

The White House last night made public Eisenhower's reply to a Nov. 17 message from Soviet Premier Nikolai Bulganin. In that message, Bulganin had suggested that leaders of the United States, Russia, Britain, France and India sit down together to seek ways to bring about disarmament.

Police Confirm Murder-Suicide

Tests Establish Theory in Fatal Shooting of Pair in Royal Oak

A New Year's Eve shooting which took the lives of a Birmingham cleaning firm owner and his attractive employee has definitely been established as a murder-suicide, Royal Oak police said today.

Chief of Detectives Edward Lietzau said this morning that police tests taken yesterday had confirmed the original theory of investigators in the deaths of Jack D. Robinson, 39, owner of the Beck Cleaners, 332 N. Woodward Ave., and Mrs. Marie V. Sayers, 33, manager of his branch store at Royal Oak.

"We are now certain by comparison of the slugs of the .38 caliber gun and paraffin tests of the woman's hands that this was a murder-suicide," Det. Lietzau said.

Autopsies on the bodies conducted at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital by Dr. Richard E. Olsen had shown that both persons had been shot at close range.

The death car was found behind the Capri Motel in Royal Oak where Mrs. Sayers, a divorced mother of four, had been living. Police believe she used the gun on Robinson and then herself while they were parked at the rear of the motel.

Robinson, whose home was at 19925 Prairie Ave., Detroit, had been separated from his wife and three children, but was planning to return home that night.

Britain and France have sent Moscow similar rejections.

In his reply, Eisenhower welcomed Bulganin's "apparent willingness" to consider even a limited form of the aerial inspection which this country has been insisting since Eisenhower first posed it at the 1955 Geneva summit conference. Previously, the Russians had opposed any such plan.

But Eisenhower shot back at what he referred to as the Soviet "attempt to dismiss as a 'slandering campaign' the world's indignant reaction to Soviet armed actions against the people of Hungary."

On both the disarmament and Hungarian matters, Eisenhower challenged the Russians to work through the United Nations.

He told Bulganin that in his belief "deliberations within the framework of the United Nations seem most likely to produce a

step forward in the highly complicated matter of disarmament." In this connection, Eisenhower said the United States "will make further proposals" on the subject at the U.N. He did not say what those proposals would

Postal Prices May Increase

Summerfield to Ask Big Two Cent Boost on Three Cent Stamps

WASHINGTON (AP) — A Republican lawmaker reported today that Postmaster General Summerfield is planning to ask Congress to raise the price of letter stamps to 5 cents. They now cost 3 cents.

The legislator, who asked that his name not be used, said Summerfield presented this plan at a White House meeting of GOP congressional leaders last Monday.

The Post Office Department declined to comment on the report.

The postmaster general, with President Eisenhower's backing, has urged Congress unsuccessfully for the past four years to boost postal rates to try to wipe out his agency's chronic deficit. But always before Summerfield has sought only a penny hike in the first class letter rate.

Last year the Eisenhower administration's bill got through the House but died in Senate committee.

Predict Mild Weather Maybe Snow Tonight

Enjoy today's occasional glimpses of Old Sol and relatively warm weather to the utmost, residents of Pontiac and vicinity.

The weatherman has forecast mostly cloudy with occasional snow for tonight and tomorrow.

The low tonight will be 26-30. High tomorrow, 30-34.

The lowest temperature recorded in downtown Pontiac preceding 8 a.m. was 15 degrees.

At 1 p.m. the mercury stood at 24.

Drain Plan Tops Suggested Legislation

A new idea to solve the area's growing drain problems tops a 17-point list of proposed state legislation suggested last night by the Board of Supervisors' legislative committee.

The committee wants enabling legislation to create a county department of public works, which would have powers to establish water supply and sewage disposal systems within any one or more county areas.

This was labeled as a "must" piece of legislation by committee members who met with four of the county's newly elected legislators.

The meeting was an annual one to consider legislation favorable to the county. Legislators attending were:

State Sen. L. Harvey Lodge and Reps. Lloyd L. Anderson (1st Dist.), Donald A. Brown (5th Dist.) and Walter T. McMahon (6th Dist.).

Committee chairman Harold K.

Schone of Birmingham said the committee hopes to meet with the county's three other legislators after the organizational meeting of the new state legislature.

The committee also wants legislation affecting:

Special assessments by townships; costs gathered for violation of township ordinances; certain fees collected by the county; annexation and incorporation laws; and the school census.

The drain legislation is aimed at removing restrictions which have snaggled several projects in the past year. It would provide means for county initiative in starting and carrying through projects embracing more than one community.

A bill detailing the scheme has been studied by a special supervisors' committee and is now being redrafted.

The legislation is planned especially to accommodate the large

Slate Hearing on Joe Louis' Tax Compromise

CHICAGO (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service has set a hearing for Monday to determine whether government tax claims against former heavyweight champion Joe Louis can be settled on a compromise basis.

The government claims Louis owes more than a million dollars in unpaid income taxes. Louis reportedly has said he doesn't have the money now and has no hopes of earning it.

Aaron Payne, Louis' attorney, said yesterday that the former Detroitier will appeal a decision holding that he must turn over to the government a \$66,000 trust fund. The decision came from the U.S. tax court last month. The appeal will go to the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago.

The tax court ruled that Louis already was in debt to the government when he set up the trust fund for his two children in the late 1940s. It said he had no right to divert the money.

Oak Park Man Killed as Car Rams Fence

An Oak Park father was killed instantly yesterday while returning home from work when his car ran out of control on Nine Mile Road, striking a fence and coming to rest against a house.

Kenneth W. Willey, 34, of 22031 Fern St. died, Oak Park police said, when part of the fence crashed through the windshield of the car and penetrated his chest.

After stopping for a light on Nine Mile, Willey's car careened over the curb through front lawns, struck the fence, and landed against the home of Mrs. M. M. Kulberg, at 14205 W. Nine Mile Road.

Willey is survived by his wife and a 17-month-old son.

Valued at \$10,000,000, 1,400 Acres in Gift

\$2,000,000 Cash Fund Provided as Start on Educational Project

By HAROLD A. FITZGERALD
(Publisher, Pontiac Press)

Oakland County becomes the scene today of a \$10,000,000 gift from Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson to Michigan State University. The grant consists of their 1,400 acre estate, including Meadow Brook Hall with its furnishings and a \$2,000,000 cash endowment to see the project started.

The estate is located on Adams road, east of Pontiac and will be the site of a branch college of Michigan State University.

The announcement was made by Mrs. Wilson at a luncheon given at the Bloomfield Hills Country Club this noon for a number of industrial, business, educational and political leaders from Oakland County and for representatives of Michigan State University.

"It is difficult to put into appropriate words the gratitude all of us feel towards Mr. and Mrs. Wilson for the generous gift of what has been their home for many years, and for the additional endowment to get this new educational project under way," President John A. Hannah, of Michigan State, said after the announcement. "It is a gift which surely comes from their hearts. No one lightly gives into the care of others a property which means what Meadow Brook Farms has meant to them."

J. Robert F. Swanson, Bloomfield Hills architect who is chairman of the Oakland County Planning Commission, was active in the negotiations to assure a four-year college for Oakland County and he presided at the session at which the announcement was made.

"The Oakland County Planning Commission," said Swanson, "has been working for nearly two years on the idea of a complete educational group including a four year college and a top technical center, due to the fact we are located in the midst of top research activities. We are happy to have the matter in such capable hands."

Mrs. Wilson was a member of the State Board of Agriculture, the governing body of Michigan State University, from 1931 through 1937, and developed an intimate knowledge of Michigan State and its educational philosophy. She was awarded an honorary degree at East Lansing in 1955.

"We are very happy to turn our home over to Michigan State University," said Mrs. Wilson to The Press. "My long association with MSU has shown me the tremendous contribution it is making to our educational and cultural life. Mr. Wilson and I admire the policies adopted in East Lansing and we believe the institution has a tremendous future. We're very happy to assist."

"This is the most generous benefaction ever received by Michigan State," said President

Hannah. "It reaffirms Mrs. Wilson's interest in young people and the desire to help them which characterized her service as a board member and her subsequent activities on behalf of Michigan State."

The offer of Mr. and Mrs. Wilson has been discussed with the governing board of Michigan State, and accepted unanimously and enthusiastically, subject to legislative approval, President Hannah said.

Only the most general plans have been made for the branch college, pending consultation with local interests as to how the needs of the area could best be met. It is probable that the emphasis, at least originally, will be in the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

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Discuss Water Supply System in Waterford

Overhead Tank Eyed by Board

Storage Would Require Million-Gallon Capacity Filled by Wells

Ultimate solution to the water supply of Waterford Township was mulled by township board members in their weekly meeting yesterday.

Eyed as the answer to the problem was a municipal-type storage system, to be filled by several wells.

Supervisor Lloyd Anderson explained that this type of supply would need an overhead tank with storage capacity for a minimum of 1 million gallons.

"This is strictly in the planning stage, and work will soon be done on the possibility of financing the system," Anderson stated.

Waterford Township has already acquired four wells from developers in the area, which will assist in the overall supply problem of the municipal system.

No action was taken on the selection of a dump site for the township. The project was tabled last week after the third site selected was opposed by residents of adjacent territory.

A similar fate met two earlier dump site proposals.

Purchase of a \$4,750 office machine for tax billing was approved by the board. The machine eliminates hiring five extra employees during the tax bill rush, and does not make mistakes, according to Township Treasurer Mrs. Dorcas Tibbals.

Arrest 3 in Theft of Equipment in Park

A 14-hour investigation on the New Year's Eve theft of a 400 power saw and other equipment from an Avon Township park resulted in the arrests of two area youths last night and early today.

Oakland County Sheriff's detectives Leo Hazen and Harry Mair said another youth and a juvenile are also believed to have taken part in the grand larceny which occurred at the Bloomer State Park.

Being held for investigation at the county jail are two Southfield Township youths, and one from Clarkston.

Also taken in the larceny were two tree saddles, buck straps and 300 feet of rope making the total value with the saw at \$472. Detectives have recovered all but one saddle-strap set.

The equipment stolen was owned by the Northern Tree Service of Petoskey and had been left on a parked trailer over the holiday weekend. The firm had been trimming trees for an extension of the park.

Chess, Checker Club Will Meet on Monday

First meeting for the new year for the Department of Parks and Recreation Chess and Checker Club will be held 7 p.m. Monday at the Adah Shelly Library, Glenwood avenue and Perry street.

All supplies are furnished by the recreation department which is striving for an increase in membership. There is no charge. The club now has 50 members.

Weather's Abnormal

DETROIT (U-P) — The Weather Bureau says temperatures in Detroit in 1956 were above normal for six months and below normal for six months. Although, this figured out to a plus 108 degrees for the year. October was the warmest since 1947. December averaged 54 degrees above normal. Rainfall was 1.77 inches above the normal 31.03.

The Weather

Full U.S. Weather Bureau Report
PONTIAC AND VICINITY — Mostly cloudy with occasional snow tonight and tomorrow. Warmer today and tonight. High today 36-40. Low tonight 20-24. High tomorrow 38-42. Low tomorrow 22-26. Wind tonight 10-15 mph. Wind tomorrow 10-15 mph. Moon sets Thursday at 8:03 p.m. Moon rises Friday at 9:43 a.m.

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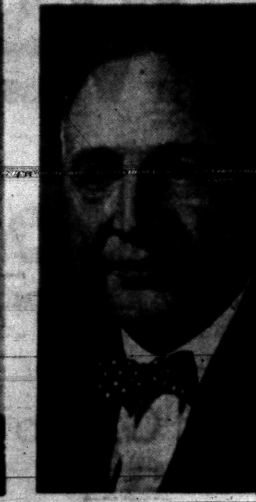
New Chamber of Commerce Officers



JOHN A. RILEY



E. RALPH EASTRIDGE



ROBERT W. EMERICK



STUART E. WHITFIELD

Commission to Eye Request for City Employees' Pay Hike

Highlighting tonight's City Commission brief five-point agenda will be a report from City Manager Walter K. Willman on a pay hike and additional benefits requested by city employees.

Willman reportedly has reached agreement with the Joint Council of Municipal Employees, which submitted the request, and will present details of the request to the commissioners for their approval.

The request included a pay hike, payment of half of employees' accrued sick or leave time upon retirement, longevity, uniform allowance for police and firemen, and three additional holidays.

Both Willman and Elmer Fanger, president of the council, asked that details of the request not be released to the public before they were presented to the commission.

INCLUDES 4 GROUPS
The council is composed of the Fire Fighters Assn., Local 100 of the Government and Civic Employees Organizing Committee, Police Officers Assn. and the Municipal Employees Assn.

In other expected action, City Attorney William A. Ewart will present the city's decision on a request that a private drive (Myrtle drive) be adopted as a city road.

Mayor William W. Donaldson will present an award to retiring

4 Bodies Recovered From Icy Houghton

HOUGHTON LAKE (U-P) — The bodies of four persons who drowned New Year's Eve when their cars plunged through the ice of Houghton Lake have been recovered.

The bodies of Mrs. Bernadette Klatt, 32, and Mrs. Dorine Butler, 33, both of Lansing, were recovered by divers from 15 feet of water yesterday.

Bodies of Mrs. Klatt's husband, Arthur, 33, and Albert J. Soha, 32, of Houghton Lake, were recovered New Year's Day.

The four had been ice fishing with John Whorley, 45, of Lansing, and had started to shore in a blinding snowstorm when their cars broke through the ice and sank.

Whorley jumped from the car in which he and Soha were riding as it sank. He managed to make shore and sound an alarm.

Nation-Famed Educator to Speak at C. of C. Dinner

The Jan. 15 annual dinner meeting of the Pontiac Area Chamber of Commerce will feature guest speaker Dr. Kenneth McFarland, nationally known educator and speaker.



DR. KENNETH MCFARLAND

News Flashes

MIAMI, Fla. (U-P) — A U.S. District Court judge today ruled that Florida laws and Miami city ordinances requiring segregated seating on municipal buses are unconstitutional.

VANCOUVER, B.C. (U-P) — A 5-year-old Vancouver boy, frightened by a pack of snarling dogs, was hauled down and mauled by three of the animals yesterday when he panicked and ran.

Wayne Spankie suffered a severely bitten leg and lacerations on the face and arms. Hospital attendants said he would recover.

The boy was playing in a Vancouver park with his brother, Brian, 9, and Gunnar Tetzold, 8, when they were surrounded by the pack of dogs.

Truck Hits Orion Man While Crossing Street

Darwin A. Joslin, 51, of 2177 Ferndale Ave., Orion Township, was treated and released at Pontiac General Hospital yesterday after he was struck by a truck at Lawrence and N. Saginaw streets.

A night watchman at the State Bank building, Joslin told police he stepped off the curb to cross Lawrence street with the light when he was struck by the right front of a vehicle driven by Thomas L. Monroe, 18, of 12 Park Place.

Monroe, who stopped at the scene to assist Joslin and call police, said he was making a right turn from N. Saginaw when he heard a thud and thought he hit a box or some other object.

May Get Prison Term for Passing \$10 Check

For the sake of \$10, John S. Mavity, 38, of 4029 Ryan Rd., Utica, faces a possible prison term on a charge of uttering and publishing.

Mavity yesterday pleaded guilty to signing and cashing a personal check for that amount Nov. 12 on a Rochester bank at which he had no account.

He was remanded to jail under \$500 bond continued by Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams, who will pass sentence Jan. 14.

Pontiac Deaths

O. M. Bedford

Word has been received of the death of O. M. Bedford, 63, of 3086 Dixie Hwy. He died suddenly yesterday of a heart condition while vacationing in Hanes City, Fla.

An engineer at General Motors Truck Division, he leaves his wife, the former Myrtle Spanier, and one son, Robert of Grand Rapids.

Service will be at 1 p.m. Monday from the Gorsline-Runciman Funeral Home in Lansing. Burial will follow in the Mt. Hope Cemetery there.

Harry Coulthurst

Harry Coulthurst, 71, a building inspector for Waterford Township, died yesterday morning after an illness of several weeks. He made his home at 2590 Maplecrest Ave.

Born in Fort Erie, Ont., Canada, on June 11, 1885, he was the son of Albert A. and Mary Coulthurst. His wife, the former Hilda Mae Golder, expired three weeks ago on Dec. 14, 1956.

A charter member of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, he had been superintendent of the Sunday School at All Saints Episcopal Church a number of years and active in Boy Scout work. He was a member of Pontiac Lodge No. 21 F. & A.M.

Mr. Coulthurst is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Gordon Bryce of Drayton Plains, Mrs. Mel Austin of Van Nuys, Calif. and Mrs. J. C. Hayes of El Segundo, Calif.

Also surviving are seven grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Holmes of Niagara Falls, Ont. Canada, and Mrs. Alma Weaver of Simcoe, Ont.; two brothers, Will of Goderich, Ont. and Arthur of San Francisco, Calif.

Friends may call at the Sparks-Griffin Funeral Home until noon Saturday when Mr. Coulthurst's body will be taken to St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Drayton Plains for service at 2 p.m. Burial will be in the Drayton Plains Cemetery.

Mrs. George W. Porritt

Mrs. George W. (Sarah A.) Porritt, of 3000 Lapeer Rd., died yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Merle Thrush of Orion Township. She was 95.

Mrs. Porritt attended the Tinker School in Oakland Township. A resident of Oakland County all her life, she was a member of the Howarth Methodist Church and the Women's Society of Christian Service of her church.

She leaves a daughter, Mrs. Merle Thrush of Orion Township; a son, Louis G. Porritt of Lake Orion; two granddaughters and nine great-grandchildren.

Service will be at 2 p.m. Monday from the Howarth Methodist Church, E. Silverbell Rd., with Dr. Mont C. Oliver officiating. Burial will be in Perry Mt. Park Cemetery. Arrangements were by Mrs. Andrew Sullivan.

Mrs. Andrew Sullivan

Mrs. Andrew (Nettie) Sullivan, 61, of 386 Bloomfield Ave., was dead on arrival Monday in Pontiac General Hospital. She had been ill two years.

Born in Franklin, Tenn. in 1895, she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Lock and married here in 1936.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two children, James Redman and William Johnson; two grandchildren; several brothers and sisters, Oddie Lock of Franklin, Mrs. Carrie Davis of Pontiac, Mrs. Gertrude Able of Nashville, Richard and Harry Lock of Chicago.

Friends may call at the William F. Davis Funeral Home until noon Friday when Mrs. Sullivan's body will be taken to the New Hope Baptist Church for service at 2 p.m. The Rev. Ford B. Reed, her pastor, will officiate with burial following in Oak Hill Cemetery.

Donald Eugene Wagoner

Donald Eugene Wagoner, 32, of 1174 Beach Dr., Lake Orion died suddenly at his home Tuesday.

A former Pontiac resident, he had lived in Oakland County 16 years and in Lake Orion six years.

He was born in Portsmouth, Ohio on Dec. 11, 1923 and married the former Ruby A. Elmore on Feb. 28, 1945.

An assembly line worker at General Motors Truck & Coach Division, Mr. Wagoner was a member of the First Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

Surviving are his wife; six children, Arthur, Donald E., Larry E., Garry Lee, Ronald L. and Virginia E. Wagoner, all at home.

Other survivors include a brother, Delbert Wagoner of Worthington, Ohio; two sisters, Mrs. Joseph Churray of Flat Rock and Mrs. Albert Conley of Waverly, Ohio.

Friends may call at Allen's Funeral Home, Lake Orion until 11 a.m. Saturday when Mr. Wagoner's body will be taken to the First Baptist Church, Lake Orion for service at 2 p.m. The Rev. Walter C. Ballagh will officiate with burial in White Chapel Memorial Cemetery.

Canadian Strike Idles Railroad

Coast to Coast Tieup Threatens Industries; Isolates Many Towns

MONTREAL (U-P) — The Canadian Pacific Railway system — nearly half of Canada's rail network — was idled from the Atlantic to the Pacific today by a strike of firemen.

Prospects appeared dim for settlement of the dispute over the railway's plans to eliminate firemen from some diesel engines.

Some 3,000 members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers (CLC) quit their jobs at 4 p.m. yesterday. Picket lines were thrown up.

A total of some 75,000 CPR workers are expected to be laid off. Other unions pledged not to cross picket lines.

Unemployment threatened other industries dependent on railroad transportation.

Operations along the 17,000 miles of CPR track today were confined to housekeeping duties.

The tieup threatened to isolate many towns in sub zero cold and snow. Food and fuel supplies were stockpiled in some CPR serviced points. Alternate rail, road and air facilities pressed preparations to handle additional traffic. But the CPR said no special plans for relief trains had been made.

4-H Boys, Girls Vie for Top Place in Poultry Test

4-H boys and girls the county over are sharpening their wits and their competitive tendencies to vie for honors in the annual "Chicken of Tomorrow" contest.

Deadline for entries to be sent to the 4-H office is Jan. 15, Jack Worthington, 4-H Club agent, said. This broiler production contest will last 10 weeks and will be judged on the high quality of the broilers in conjunction with low amounts of feed, few pin feathers and how many chicks last the full term, Worthington said.

Oakland County boasted two state first and third place winners in 1954 and district first and third prizes in 1956. There was no contest in 1955.

Alleged Child Beater to Be Sentenced Jan. 21

A Rochester father, Alvin W. Marks, 33, of 3533 Frankston Rd., will be sentenced Jan. 21 on a charge he struck his 11-year-old daughter in the face as punishment.

Marks pleaded guilty yesterday before Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams to a charge of cruelty to his daughter, Jacqueline.

He was returned under \$1,000 bond to Oakland County Jail, where he has been held since the alleged beating Dec. 22.

Mosquitoes were unknown to Hawaii until about 1893.

Alfred Wilsons Give Home, Land to MSU

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fields of engineering, business, science and the arts.

Meadow Brook Hall is one of the great residences in the world. It was erected a quarter of a century ago at a cost of more than three million dollars and to reproduce it in its entirety today would represent a fabulous and fantastic figure.

Before it was designed, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson made a special trip to Europe, taking an architect along with them. They visited a long list of great European castles and studied the dimensions and exact treatment of outstanding rooms that especially appealed to them. These facts were brought back to Oakland county and incorporated into the great home which stands today as one of mankind's most magnificent mansions.

Hangings and pictures on the walls are works of art, representing some of the great masters of history. The front of Meadow Brook Hall is on an angle and from one corner to the other is 410 feet. The rooms are in proportion to the whole and the dining room easily seats 60 people.

Meadow Brook Hall is the central theme of a 1,400-acre estate. The grounds and farm land are picturesque and the tillable soil has been scientifically and carefully farmed over an extended period of years. It is a magnificent site for a campus and would lend itself to expansion over an extended period of time.

Under the aegis of Michigan State University, this certainly would become a vast cultural center for the entire area, and indeed, it would exert an influence on the State of Michigan and even the Middle West.

President John A. Hannah stated that in his opinion a half century from now might find this spot the educational center of Michigan. "We at East Lansing have wonderful hopes for this tremendous project," he declared.

Within a fifteen-mile radius of Meadow Brook Farms—considered by educational authorities to be a reasonable commuting distance—the population is now more than 500,000. Reasonable projections show this population increasing by 1960 to 632,000, by 1965 to 753,000, and by 1970 to 926,000. The college age population (18-24) is presently estimated at 44,000. This segment is expected to increase to 54,000 by 1960, to 73,000 by 1965, and to 103,000 by 1970.

With a population well in excess of 500,000, Oakland county is the largest county in Michigan without a public institution of higher learning. It produces the second largest number of high school graduates each year (3,219 in 1955) and has the second largest number of high school graduates in college (1,112 in 1953).

"Unaccountably, Oakland county has been bypassed in the development of Michigan's outstanding system of higher education," President Hannah commented. "Despite this handicap, it has grown in population and wealth. I am sure the Legislature, which must approve the establishment of branches of existing institutions, will agree it is time the young people of this major economic area had educational opportunities equal to those in other parts of the state."

"Michigan State University welcomes this great opportunity to extend its operations and to improve upon its record of service to Michigan. Our university has always operated on the premise that it could have no finer mission than to help people learn how to live richer and more satisfying lives. The Wilsons have made available for the young people of Oakland county and vicinity something that can become one of our state's outstanding educational, cultural and technical centers."

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are retaining a life interest in the residence on the estate, but these, too, will eventually become a part of the campus of the branch college.

Agriculture, particularly the breeding of fine livestock, has been practiced actively at Meadow Brook Farms and there are several modern farm centers on the estate, lending to the possibility that some of Michigan State's agricultural research operations might be carried on there.

In relation to this situation, it is pointed out that Miss Sarah Van Housen Jones of Rochester, also a former member of the governing board, recently conveyed her home farm of more than 300 acres to Michigan State. Her estate, in the possession of her family, is situated less than five miles east of the Wilson estate, suggesting that the two operations could easily be correlated.

Mrs. Matilda Wilson was Matilda Dodge, wife of John Dodge, one of the two brothers that started the Dodge Automobile Company which was subsequently sold to the Chrysler Corporation. She has been Mrs. Alfred G. Wilson for more than 30 years, following John Dodge's death.

Pleading guilty to driving while his license was denied, Niles Moore, of Frankfort, was jailed for 30 days yesterday by Justice Allen C. Ingle of Farmington Township.

The Day in Birmingham

Ice Show, Hockey Clinic Under Way at Eton Rink

BIRMINGHAM—New classes in figure skating, skate dancing, and beginners are being added to meet the demand at the Eton Park artificial ice rink. Registrations are now being taken.

The ice show which is starting rehearsal shortly is creating much interest and is planned to give everyone an opportunity to show their abilities and talents.

Virginia Heard, program director and teacher says "I have not seen as much enthusiasm in ice skating before. Birmingham can be proud of its part in the opportunities it is presenting to its boys and girls."

It has also been announced that a hockey clinic for boys 9 through 12 will open at the rink Monday, Jan. 7 from 4 to 6 p.m. Clinics will continue each Monday through March. Registration may be made at the recreation office in the Municipal Building. The only charge is the regular skating fee.

Birmingham police arrested a Pontiac youth Wednesday who is charged with breaking and entering the Colonial Barber Shop, 964 E. Maple Ave. the night of Dec. 20. Lieutenant Merlin E. Holmquist said that James Anthony Jr., 18, of 264 Rockwell St. has admitted the theft of cash. He said the youth denied having taken a razor which was reported missing.

Birmingham city commissioners tonight will consider a petition of Raymond A. Cragin owner of the premises now occupied by the Becker Orthopedic Appliance Co. for the paving of Elm St. between Woodward and Bowers.

Cragin said his property would assume its fair share of costs. He added that he would like to have the entire street including sidewalks, curbs, gutters, etc. put on the city's schedule as soon as possible.

Commissioners also will study the communication from the State Highway Department relative to the prohibition of left turns from Woodward on to 14 Mile road. Should commissioners concur with the recommendation, state district traffic engineer said his office is ready to proceed with the installation of all necessary directional signs and illuminated overhead signs.

Also coming before tonight's commission will be a discussion of amendment to articles of incorporation for the Southeastern Oakland County garbage and rubbish authority. One amendment would eliminate the township of Troy, and add the cities of Troy and Madison Heights and Lathrup Village as constituent members.

Orman B. Harper, Service for Orman B. Harper, 78, of 1236 Edgewood St. who died New Year's Day in Kenwood Convalescent Hospital, Farmington Township after a long illness, will be held from the Manley-Bailey Funeral Home on Friday at 2 p.m.

Mr. Harper, born in Troy, had spent his entire life in this immediate area. He was a graduate of the Detroit College of Pharmacy, a member of the First Baptist Church of Birmingham, and a life member of Birmingham Lodge 44 F. & A.M. He retired in 1946 after 20 years as a salesman for Gregory Mayer & Thom.

He is survived by his wife Mae.

Enters Plea of Guilty for Breakin of Store

A plea of guilty to a charge of breaking and entering was made yesterday by Russell D. Timlock, 35, of 70 1/2 Auburn Ave., who Pontiac police say was captured Dec. 20 in Wrigley's supermarket at 536 N. Perry St.

Timlock was remanded to jail under \$3,000 bond continued by Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams, who will pass sentence Jan. 14.

A partner, also captured by nine officers surrounding the store, waived examination on the same charge yesterday in Pontiac Municipal Court.

He is Paul M. McDonald, 30, of 51 Hillside Dr., who was bound over to circuit court for arraignment Monday. McDonald was freed under \$3,000 bond continued by Municipal Judge Maurice E. Finnegan.

Fish Market Looted; Thief Gets \$5 in Change

The Fish & Poultry Market, 203 Lake St., was broken into and looted of \$5 in change sometime between New Year's night and Wednesday morning, Pontiac police learned today.

Owner William Jones told investigators burglars broke in through the front door and took the money from his cash register.

Fire in Pontiac Home

A fire said to have been started when some gasoline was spilled on a kitchen floor caused damages estimated at \$750 to a Pontiac home yesterday.

Firemen extinguished the blaze at the home of Clarence Williams, 530 Highland St. The owner and occupant was reportedly filling a blow torch when some gasoline spilled and caught fire.

Congress Opens; Ike to Offer Plan

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chusetts as minority leader and Rep. Leslie Arends of Illinois, as party whip. Rep. Charles A. Halleck (R-Ind.) continued to act as Martin's assistant leader.

Organization of the Senate could prove a more complicated matter, although Majority Leader Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex.) expressed the hope it would be smooth. The political lineup is 49 Democrats and 47 Republicans.

President Eisenhower may personally outline his request for passage of a "fight it necessary" Middle East resolution at a joint congressional session Friday.

Whether he will present his special message in person Friday or later, congressional leaders said, depends upon organizing the Senate without undue delay.

Eisenhower made it known, however, he would like to go before Congress tomorrow.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, in two conferences with House and Senate foreign policy committees last night, outlined the President's request for a joint resolution to guarantee the Middle East against armed aggression.

ONLY ON REQUEST
He emphasized that aid would be granted by the U.S. only on request of a nation which had suffered "an overt act"—an armed attack either by the Communists or by "any nation that had become the agent of the Communists."

Dulles underlined the importance the administration attaches to the Middle East situation by describing it as "highly dangerous." He said that without a declaration from Congress he believes the "danger of war would be increased."

Reaction to the administration's historic bid for a warning to the Kremlin was mixed and at this stage, uncertain. Republican legislators began moving steadily into a position of public support for the President's request.

But most Democrats refused to make any quick commitment, stressing that they wished to know more and that the proposal should be thoroughly and publicly explored.

Nevertheless it appeared clear that when all the questioning and debate have ended there is likely to be but one answer—Congressional approval of a project too far advanced by the White House to be rejected in the face of world opinion.

DOMINATES SCENE
Although almost an 11th hour proposal, the Middle East resolution dominated the opening of this first session of the Democratic-controlled Congress. It quickly dwarfed a liberal coalition movement to revise rules of the Senate so as to tighten the gag on

Rhode Island Boasts New Half-Mile Bridge

PORTSMOUTH, R. I. — A new four-lane \$9,000,000 bridge, linking Portsmouth and Tiverton, replaces the narrow, storm-battered Stone Bridge, a 50-year veteran seriously weakened in 1954 by a hurricane. The new Sakonnet River bridge, half a mile long and 70 feet above the water, is the most expensive item yet finished in Rhode Island's drive to modernize its highway system.

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But Panic-Buying Eases Off Wives Mob Paris Stores

PARIS (INS)—Now that French cellars and bedrooms are sufficiently stocked with sugar, salt, and other staples, grocers are beginning to get their inventories back to normal.

Conditions for car-owners, however, are dark grey and the future almost jet-black.

After patting him on the head, with a temporary holiday suspension of the regional driving restrictions, his government threw a hay-maker and cut his miserly ration of 8 gallons to 7½ gallons a month.

Motorists may be justified in blaming their government's ill-starred Suez venture for the gasoline shortage but they cannot

attribute it to recent shortages in the stable grocery items which France consistently over-produces. This was their own fault.

HISTORIC MISTRUST
The Frenchman's historic mistrust in the statements of his own elected representatives, and his wife's painful memories of wartime food deficiencies, were the two factors that caused panic-buying and the disappearance of sugar, salt, soap, and table oils from grocers' shelves.

Consequently, when a member of the government went on the national radio to explain there was a sugar surplus and no need to hoard, housewives interpreted it to mean that there was no sugar and rushed out to the store.

In the same speech the official tried to dispel the unfounded rumor that salt offered protection against radiation poisoning. He succeeded only in spreading the rumor to some parts of the republic that had not heard it. Salt disappeared within the week.

France produces a surplus of cooking oils. Senegal peanuts and Tunisian olives supply more than her requirements. A recent decline in the production of glass containers, however, prevented the immediate re-stocking of grocers after the buying-spree and added to the conviction already held that the oil itself was nearly exhausted.

The growing popularity of soap-flakes and detergents has resulted in lowered production of laundry bar-soap in France. The latter was one of the first casualties but detergents remained in abundance and were not hoarded. This has been attributed to the fact that detergents, manufactured from oil and coal bases and a certain casualty in the event of a really austere economy program, were not defended by the government.

French housewives, therefore, were not interested in hoarding anything that the government had not reassured them about.

Slate Initial Meetings of Dressmaking School

Oakland County Home Demonstration women who plan to attend a dressmaking school sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service this winter, will hold half day preliminary meetings next week.

Mrs. Frieda Bennett, home demonstration agent, said two half day sessions, one in Pontiac and one in Royal Oak, will be held on Tuesday, at 9:30 a. m.

The Pontiac meeting will be in the Supervisors Room in the county office annex, 1 Lafayette St. and the Royal Oak meeting will be in Northland Auditorium.

Clothes Unmake a Man

BALTIMORE (AP)—Central District police figured it must be an inside job. Mrs. Charlotte Meyers of New York City reported \$60

stolen from her hotel room. Her son, Samuel, who had seen the thief, gave police the description: About 30 years old, six feet tall and dressed only in maroon pajama pants.

Sick Man Likes Noise

MAYSVILLE, Okla. (AP)—The loud noises being made outside would have disturbed most sick persons, but to Ray Ward it was the music

of neighborliness. Ward, a farmer seriously ill, found 14 neighbors had come to his place with tractors and equipment to plow, disk and harrow his land.

Five rivers in Northern Ireland are to be widened and deepened to protect 3,000 acres from flooding, Belfast reports. They are the Faughan, Strule, Fairy Water, Tempo and Cushendall.

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REG. 49¢ **Tincture BENZOIN Compound** **21¢**

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REG. 79¢ GROVE'S **Bromo Quinine** **49¢**

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REGULAR 98¢ **Saletto Tablets** **73¢**

REGULAR 49¢ **4-Way Tablets** **32¢**

REG. 79¢ **Vick's Vapo Rub** **54¢**

REG. 99¢ **Sal Hepatica** **69¢**

REG. 97¢ **Vick's Cough Syrup** **69¢**

REG. 79¢ **Vick's** **69¢**

Bond Issue Election Jan. 8

Seek Voters Approval

MARLETTE — The Voters of the village of Marlette, will be asked to approve a \$160,000 general obligation bond issue in a special election Jan. 8.

The bonds would finance part of a new \$385,000 sewage disposal plant and sewer system which the village must have in operation by September 11, 1957 according to court order.

The village is awaiting word from the Michigan Water Resources Commission regarding request for a 30 per cent Federal aid grant on the plant.

William J. Drillock, of the Atkins Drillock firm, legal advisors to the village, said he expects to receive information about February 1st, as to how much Federal aid Marlette might expect.

Before Federal aid is made available the bonds will have to be approved. They will be paid by a tax levy of up to seven mills spread over a period of twenty to thirty years, officials said.

County Deaths

Orby M. Sweet

UTICA — Service for Orby M. Sweet, 63, of 8343 Monrovia St., who died at his home Tuesday, will be at 2 p.m. Friday, from the Milliken Funeral Home here. Burial will be in Utica Cemetery under auspices of Masonic Lodge No. 75.

Mr. Sweet, a farmer most of his life, and a resident of Shelby Township since 1936, was building inspector and administrator for the township.

Surviving besides his wife Myra, are his son, Monroe of Caledonia; two daughters, Mrs. Mae Stecker and Mrs. Betty Miller, both of Utica; one sister, Mrs. Alice Holly of Caledonia, and five grandsons.

Janet Elizabeth Slade

ROCHESTER — Service for Janet Elizabeth Slade, 74, of 235 Nevada St. here, will be held from Pixley Funeral Home on Saturday at 2 p.m. with burial in White Chapel Cemetery. Mrs. Slade died yesterday at Pontiac General Hospital, following a brief illness.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Ruby Grant of Rochester, Mrs. Percival Jones, and Mrs. Quentin Young, both of England. Also surviving are eight grandchildren. Mrs. Slade lived in Rochester for two years, coming here from Royal Oak.

George N. Jennings

CLARKSTON — Service for George Newton Jennings, 51, of 5076 Pine Knob who died Tuesday will be held Friday at 2 p.m. from the Pursley Funeral Home. Burial will be in Oakland Hills Memorial Cemetery.

John Hines

HIGHLAND TOWNSHIP — Service for John Hines, 84, of 2388 E. Highland Rd., here, who died yesterday will be Saturday from the Richardson-Bird Chapel, Milford, at 1 p.m.

Mr. Hines who lived in the county for nearly a half century, is survived by his wife, Elizabeth, and six children, Mrs. William Burford of Leslie, Byrie of Walled Lake, Mrs. Orville Smith, John E., Edward A., and James H. all of Milford. Also surviving are 25 grandchildren and 30 great-grandchildren.

Burial will be in Oakland Hills Memorial Gardens with the Rev. Robert Van Oeyen officiating.

William H. Meyer Sr.

ROYAL OAK — Service for William H. Meyer Sr., 64, of 309 Curry Rd., will be at 1 p.m. Saturday from the William Sullivan and Son Funeral Home here, with burial in Oak View Cemetery. Mr. Meyer, Oakland County resident since 1921, died suddenly of a heart attack yesterday morning at the GMC Truck Plant, where he has been employed the past 22 years.

Mr. Meyer, an X-ray technician in the Army Medical Corps, World War I, and member of VFW Post 1669 is survived by his wife Gladys; three sons, William H. Meyer Jr. of East Detroit, George L. of Troy and Kenneth L. at home; a daughter, Mrs. Joseph Sundell of East Lansing; two sisters, Mrs. Robert Matthews of Ferndale and Mrs. Lester Nicholson of Quincy, Ill., and six grandchildren.

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There will be two separate ballots to vote on Jan. 8; one will be \$100,000 in bonds for the sewage disposal plant, the other will provide \$60,000 for new sewer lines.

County 4-H Club Meets to Discuss Annual Ski Trip

County 4-H Club agents, Sue Sturgis and Jack Worthington, will meet tonight with 4-H agents Maxine Harris and John Overton from Macomb County, to discuss plans for the coming annual Service Club ski trip.

Members from the 4-H honorary of Oakland County will also attend the meeting. The ski trip which includes Service Club members from Oakland, Macomb, Wayne and Livingston Counties will be held the last week of February.

Commission to Meet for Late Discussion

THOMAS CITY, Ga. — Mayor Lockhart said that from all appearances the commission would enjoy a late meeting tonight. Most important item to come before the group is the discussion on the water revenue bonds.

Three other items will include setting a date for the board of review session revision on bids for the new fire station and a new tax cab ordinance.

Jack Carsons Part

HOLLYWOOD — Actress Lola Albright says she has separated from actor Jack Carson. "I haven't made plans for a divorce," she said. "We'll wait and see how things go."



SHARON D. MURRAY

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Murray of Lake Orion announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Dawn, to Edward Leach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Leach, also of Lake Orion. A July wedding is planned.

Appeals Conviction on Driving Charge

Appealing a conviction Dec. 20 of driving while under the influence of liquor, Vincent A. Oltesvig, 40, of 3975 Woodland Dr., Milford, yesterday stood mute at his arraignment before Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams.

Adams entered a plea of innocent for Oltesvig, who remained free under \$200 bond. Oltesvig had been fined \$100 and assessed \$25 costs by Springfield Township Justice Emmett J. Leib on a charge brought by Lake Orion Police Nov. 20.

Officials Get Bids for Utica Schools

UTICA — Sealed bids for the purchase of School Building and Site bonds to be issued by the Utica Community Schools of Macomb County were approved by the electors of the school district.

They will be received by officials at Utica Community High School on Thursday, Jan. 17. At 8 p.m. on that date the bids will be opened publicly.

The bonds will be dated Nov. 1, 1956, will be payable semi-annually and will bear interest not exceeding four and one-half per cent.

Redemption notices shall be given to the holders not less than 30 days prior to the fixed redemption date.

In order to award the bonds, interest costs shall be computed. No proposal for the purchase of less than all the bonds shall be considered, school officials said.

Thye Proposes Help for Small Business

WASHINGTON — Legislation to give permanent status to the small business administration (SBA) was proposed today by Sen. Thye (R-Minn.) as the 85th congress gets under way.

This measure would eliminate the necessity of congressional action to renew the life of SBA every two years. Thye was the author of the Small Business Act of 1953 which established the agency.

When the act was first approved, Thye said, there was objection to its being put on a permanent basis. But, he said, the time has now come when it should be made a permanent agency.

Council Takes Low Bid on Off-Street Parking

ROCHESTER — At last night's special Council meeting, bids for the construction and electrical work of the new off-street parking lot were opened. Five different firms submitted bids.

Low bidder was The Concrete Specialists Co. of Hazel Park. The bid was \$14,109.70. Only one bid was received for the electrical work, that of the Engineering Electric Co. of Detroit.

The Council authorized Village Manager Robert A. Slone to evaluate the bids and place them on file until the sale of the revenue bonds on Jan. 21.

The above figure for construction work does not include the removal of the houses on the new lot which is between East street and the East Main street alley, between Fourth and Fifth streets. The Council also passed a resolution to set up a receiving, a depreciation and a contingent fund for the water and sewer system, with the National Bank of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bechen of 431 East St. appeared before the council requesting action be taken to have an officer or traffic patrol at Fourth and Main street intersection during the hour when small school children are crossing Main to go to or from school.

Council voted to have a count of the children taken and will make a recommendation at the next regular meeting on Jan. 14th.

Zhukov Will Visit India

MOSCOW — Defense Minister Georgi Zhukov will be the Soviet Union's representative at India's Independence Day celebration in New Delhi Jan. 26.

Pleads Guilty in Death of 2

Brandon Man Ramm Coupled's Auto, Will Be Sentenced Jan. 21

Charged with the traffic deaths of an elderly couple last Nov. 3 in Brandon Township, John A. Killen, 24, of 986 Durant St. yesterday changed his plea to guilty before Circuit Judge Clark J. Adams.

He pleaded guilty to a charge of manslaughter involving an Ortonville farmer, Ernest Z. Mitchell, 74, and his wife, Allie, 72, of 5605 Groveland Rd.

Killen is charged with ramming the rear of the couple's car near an Ortonville road intersection, forcing it off the road and into a tree. Mrs. Mitchell was killed immediately. The husband was killed a week later.

According to Assistant Prosecutor James Nichols, Killen maintained the Mitchell car suddenly "popped out" in front of him. Killen admitted he had been drinking, Nichols said.

Killen was freed under \$1,500 bond continued by Judge Adams. He will be sentenced Jan. 21. At his circuit court arraignment following the accident, Killen had stood mute to the charge.

Installation, Dance Set for K. of C. on Saturday

Installation ceremonies and dance for the Metropolitan Club and Ladies Auxiliary will take place Saturday night at the Knights of Columbus Hall, 295 S. Saginaw St.

Officiating for the ladies will be Mrs. R. C. Baker and Mrs. Elda Fairman. George Stenson will be master of ceremonies for the men and Robert Gallagher will serve as installing officer.

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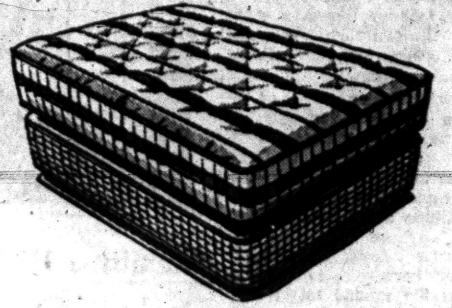
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Beauty Thrives on Happy Outlook

By JOSEPHINE LOWMAN
"There is no beautifier of the complexion, or form, or behavior, like the wish to scatter joy and not pain around us," according to Ralph Waldo Emerson.
Mr. Emerson wrote in the days before psychosomatic medicine had become a household word. He was evidently ahead of his time since this quotation indicates that he sensed the close connection between the emotions and the body.

We know today that worry and severe emotional strains which are prolonged actually can make us ill. They also can make us break out in a rash. Think then what these stresses must do to us inside.

The beauty of the skin and hair and the sparkle in the eyes is dependent to a great extent on how we eat, how we exercise and how we sleep, in other words, on our health. Emotions have a terrific effect on our glandular system, which comes rushing to our rescue in times of trouble.

If we will just oil up our endocrine glands with a happy outlook and get them working in the right direction for us, they will pay off in increased good looks.

SHOWS IN FACE
A dour or critical attitude has an immediate effect on facial contour. It pulls the corners of the

mouth down, thins the lips and creates lines of tenseness about the eyes and from the nose to the gravity.



The beauty of the skin and hair and the sparkle in the eyes is dependent to a great extent on how we eat, how we exercise and how we sleep, in other words, on our health.

I suppose we ourselves make most of our happiness and much of our trouble. I leave you today with this thought from Du Maurier:

"Happiness is like time and space — we make and measure it ourselves; it is a fancy — as big, as little as you please, just a thing of contrasts and comparisons."

If you would like my leaflet, "Individual Happiness," send a stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request for leaflet No. 65 to Josephine Lowman in care of this newspaper.

Tomorrow: "Correct Posture, Exercise Will Cure Dowager's Hump."

Household Hint

Almost every home can yield a bit more closet room if the present closets are kept absolutely neat. If things you no longer need are discarded, there's immediately room for things in current use.

How long since you've cleaned out the kitchen drawers? If they've gotten into an irritating tangle, it's time you turned them out. They're probably cluttered with useless odds and ends.

Don't let odds and ends accumulate in your refrigerator. It's wasteful of space and the use of the refrigerator itself. Best time to clear out stale food is when you've just done some marketing and are putting fresh things away.

Mars has started moving farther away from the earth again. Don't know as we blame it, either. — Changing Times.

Married Saturday in Sunny Vale Chapel were Mr. and Mrs. William J. Saunders. The bride is the former Donna Lou McCallum of Lyford drive and he is the son of Lillian K. Saunders of Woodbridge drive, and George E. Saunders of Bradenton Beach, Fla.



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Home Decor Spotlights Old Stoves

CHICAGO (INS) — Old stoves are enjoying a revival in swank Chicago homes. But they are by no means cast-offs; they are antiques.

Eighteenth Century stoves, the fancier the better, are being converted into end tables, bars and refrigerators by top decorators.

These are models that once provided heat in massive European villas and palaces. They are either overlaid with porcelain or come in intricately decorated iron.

Short, hip-high versions are being topped with marble and used as end tables, either in pairs or singly.

In period settings, iron stoves are painted white or Venetian blue, trimmed with antique gold and topped with white or pink marble. In modern rooms they are always white with black marble tops.

Bigger stoves, some more than 5 feet high, are often set in bay windows in the living room and usually they conceal bar equipment. Some are even fitted with refrigeration units.

The revival is so strong that even the old black pot-bellied stove is being used in ultra-modern decor, left as is, to serve as a different kind of fireplace.

Promenaders Mark Holiday at Gala Dance

Sixty members and guests gathered at the Waterford CAI Building for the annual New Year's Eve dance held by Promenaders Square Dance Club. Walter Koenig, president of the club, and Mrs. Koenig greeted the guests.

A life-size silhouette of a dancing couple attracted the guests as they entered the gaily decorated ballroom.

Colorful balloons, streamers and bells completed the decorative theme, arranged by Mr. and Mrs. Warren Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calahan and Mr. and Mrs. Koenig.

Calling the quadrilles were Robert Earl, Robert Longe, Warren Allen, Harold Brown and Mr. Koenig.

The next dance planned by the group will be held Saturday evening at Daniel Whitfield School.

Beauty Hint

For beauty's sake, you need a hot cereal in the morning on cold days. If you haven't time to fix one, there are instant and quick oatmeals and other cereals available that take only seconds to prepare.

Last minute date and no time for a shampoo? Just cover your hairbrush with an old nylon stocking and brush vigorously, moving the stocking to a clean spot every few strokes. This will remove surface dust.



For this classic, fitted suit Vera Maxwell has had the weavers of Scotland copy the stripes of North African jelaba cloth. Very effective, especially against the mink shawl collar.

Use Know-How to Plan Teenage Rumpus Room

Avoid Rugs, Bare Wood Table Tops; Keep It Simple, Practical, Soundproof

By RUTH MILLETT

If you're thinking of fixing up a playroom in your home for teenagers, what you need isn't the advice of an interior decorator but the lowdown from a friend whose children have already gone through the teenage whirl.

From one who has had a room in her house turned into a teenage canteen, you'll get a lot of practical tips.

Such things as: Be sure to have a telephone extension in the playroom. Every teenager who comes to your home will make a minimum of three phone calls during an hour's visit and probably receive at least one. So if you want to keep the kids in their hideout, you've got to give them a telephone.

Have plenty of pillows on the sofa. With teenagers you never have to worry about adequate seating space, so long as they can toss a pillow on the floor. But make 'em durable, as teenage boys can't resist tossing pillows around.

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Be sure there are no buttons in the centers for that is an irresistible temptation for pillow twirling, a pastime that is a little rough on sofa pillows even though it does give boys at the awkward age something to do with their hands.

No bare wood for table tops—unless you want rings within rings made from soft drink bottles.

No carpet for several good reasons. Potato chips and corn chips dipped in goop—the teenagers' favorite snack—are crumbly and hard on carpets. And a bare floor is always ready for dancing.

If the playroom is going to be

an addition to the house, do everything you can do to soundproof it. Teenagers can play their favorite records over and over for hours and never grow weary of them. But you will.

Talk to your friends who have gone through the playroom stage and you'll get all kinds of practical ideas on how to keep a playroom from working you to death.

Royal Couple Plans Marriage

LONDON (INS)—Prince Tomislav of Yugoslavia and Princess Margarita of Baden have become engaged in London.

Tomislav, 28, is the brother of ex-King Peter of Yugoslavia and presently a farmer in Petworth, Sussex County.

Margarita, 24, is a niece of the Duke of Edinburgh, Queen Elizabeth of Britain's husband.

The young couple's wedding is expected to take place in Baden, Germany, in early June.

Beauty Hint

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Study Use of 'Copter in Launching Plane

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Army may try using helicopters to launch light airplanes from tight places. The possibility was expressed in Army Aviation Digest, a publication of the Army aviation school at Ft. Rucker, Ala., but without much elaboration.

An Army aviation officer at the Pentagon said one technique might involve use of a helicopter to lift the light plane into the air, with the plane to be air-launched when the helicopter had attained sufficient altitude and forward speed.

For larger craft, an airborne helicopter harnessed to the air plane on the ground might keep pace with the plane down a runway and give it the added speed necessary for a quick takeoff, he said.

Col. Robert Williams, head of the Army Aviation Board, said by telephone from Ft. Rucker that he knew of no plans or projects along this line. However, the Army Aviation Digest article said that "airlifting an L19 light plane out of a cornfield with an Army Sikorsky H34 helicopter "gave someone an idea, and now the feasibility of using a helicopter for assisting an airplane during take off is being studied."

India's Prime Minister Nehru announced in New Delhi that he has accepted an invitation to visit the United States for three or four days in July, before going to West Germany.

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Committee Points to High Budget, Costs Rules Out Chance of General Tax Cut

WASHINGTON (AP)—Higher government costs and an anticipated record peacetime budget all but ruled out any general income tax reduction action in the Congress session opening today.

Although some pressures for individual income tax relief were expected, the consensus of key members of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee seemed to be: "Not a chance." This, however, did not foreclose the possibility of some relief for certain groups of taxpayers.

Bipartisan support has developed in Congress during the recess for some revision of business

excise (sales) tax laws and for tax aid to small business men. The big block to general individual and corporate income tax cuts is the 1958 fiscal year budget due to be sent to Capitol Hill by President Eisenhower later this month.

Congress expects it to put federal spending requests at around \$2 billion dollars for the year starting next July 1.

This would be the largest budget ever sent to Congress when the nation was not at war. It would leave little room for any sizable reduction in tax revenues, despite forecasts of a treasury surplus of as much as \$1,700,000,000 dollars.

The Treasury steadfastly has opposed tax reduction this year, contending it cannot be accomplished without serious loss of needed revenue. And the President's economic advisers are understood to oppose such action because of inflationary pressures.

Fear of touching off a new inflation spiral through untimely tax cuts also has been voiced by influential House Democrats.

While Congress is expected to leave unchanged present income tax rates, a number of selective changes in the tax laws are in the making. These may not cause any important net change in tax revenues.

Malibu Animals Aided

MALIBU, Calif. (AP)—Children raided their piggy banks to help finance emergency feeding of domestic animals and wildlife in the fire-stricken Malibu area. George Crozier of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals said hundreds of donations were received after he made public appeals for funds. A great many of them came from children.

Art Exhibit Stars Ads

KALAMAZOO (AP)—Commercial advertising will get feature billing at the Kalamazoo Institute of Arts this month in an exhibit furnished by the Upjohn Co., Kalamazoo pharmaceutical firm. On display will be more than 200 advertisements placed by the company in lay and technical magazines.

Good Progress in Suez Salvage

Collapsed Bridge, Ship Immediate Task; Hope to Free 13 Ships Soon

PORT SAID, Egypt (AP)—The pace of salvage work in the Suez Canal picked up today with divers and crews working on two of the biggest obstructions—the collapsed Ferdan bridge and the sunken Egyptian landing ship Akka.

West German teams pushed their work at the Ferdan bridge, 38½ miles south of Port Said. Divers attached wire cables to sections of the sunken span. The salvage vessels Energie and Ausdauer, largest of their type in the world, stood by to lift parts of the damaged structure as they were cut away.

Divers made underwater surveys of the Akka. Her removal is expected to be one of the toughest jobs in the clearance operation.

The possibility that some of the 13 ships stranded in the canal during the British-French-Israeli attack on Egypt might be able to move out in a few days was reported by Egypt's Middle East News Agency. The agency quoted Mahmoud Yunis, managing director of the Egyptian Suez Canal Authority, as saying large ships would be able to sail for Port Said within the next four days.

U. S. Lt. Gen. Raymond A.

Wheeler, U. N. boss of the clearance project, has estimated the entire canal will be open in May to the largest type vessels it can handle. He hopes to have a channel open by early March that can accommodate oil tankers and other vessels up to about 10,000 tons.

Work in the immediate Suez city area was taken over by salvage crews from the Egyptian Canal authority. The Egyptians went to work on the sunken tug Atlas. An Egyptian spokesman said they expected the tug could be moved in four days.

Phony Bomb Threats Plague New York Police

NEW YORK (AP)—Phony bomb threats continue to harass the police search for the "mad bomber" who has planted more than 30 live bombs in this area since 1940.

Yesterday more than 20 bomb threats were received here. Four false bombs were found at a Manhattan movie theater, the American Museum of Natural History, the Brooklyn branch of the New York Public Library and a Brooklyn grocery.

Good Business Seen

MIDLAND (AP)—High employment, high levels of production and "intense competition with some flattening of the economic growth curve" make up the business outlook for 1957 as forecast by Dr. Leland I. Doan, president of the Dow Chemical Co.

New Year Resolutions Topic for Toastmasters

Pontiac Toastmasters met last night at the Pontiac YMCA, with the theme of the evening as "New Year's Resolutions."

Morris Decker was the general critic, and the Oscar award was won by George Crabtree.

Imitates Boy at Dike

CONSHOHOCKEN, Pa. (AP)—Charles C. Hansell spent a numbing half hour crouched beside his basement fuel oil tank with his finger plugging a leak to stop the flow of inflammable liquid. About 35 gallons already had flooded his cellar, dangerously close to the flame of the house heating unit. Hansell's wife and children fled to a neighbor's house and summoned repairmen.

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Chicago Scribes to Honor Maglie for 'Comeback'

CHICAGO (U)—Pitcher Sal Maglie of the Brooklyn Dodgers will be honored as baseball's top "comeback" star of 1956 at the 17th annual Diamond Dinner of the Chicago Baseball Writers Sunday, Jan. 20.

Maglie, who compiled a 13-5 record, including a no-hitter, last season, will receive the William Wrigley Jr., Memorial Award. The Chicago writers previously announced selection of Yankee Manager Casey Stengel to receive the J. Louis Comiskey Memorial Award for long and meritorious service to baseball.

More Land for State Hunters

Conservation Body to
Study Proposed 'Buy
of 875 Acres

LANSING (U)—Acquisition of 875 acres of hunting land will be considered at the Jan. 10-11 meeting of the conservation commission in Lansing.

Also scheduled for purchase is a new public fishing site on Bristol Lake, Barry County.

One of the proposed public hunting land purchases involves 66 acres at Fish Point Wildlife Area, Tuscola County. It includes 1,335 feet of Saginaw Bay frontage.

Other proposed purchases include 469 acres for creation of a new public hunting area to be known as Pentwater River State Game Area, Oceana county; 120 acres at the Middleville State Game area in Barry county; 111 acres at the Waterloo Recreation Area; 49 acres at Shiawassee River State Game Area, Saginaw county; 40 acres at Nayanquing Point Wildlife Area, Bay county, and 20 acres at Barry State Game Area, Barry county.

Also on the agenda are proposed regulations for the 1957 beaver and other trapping seasons.

Three Top Jockeys Ride Money Horses

ARCADIA, Calif. (U)—Three of the nation's top jockeys, Eddie Arcaro, Willie Shoemaker and Bill Hartack, rode horses that won more than two million dollars in 1956. The jockey's cut of 10 per cent indicates that this trio will pay healthy income taxes.

But they are the exception. There are 77 jockeys registered at Santa Anita but only 17 have been winners and by the time the winter meeting ends in March that number won't be increased appreciably. There were only 21 jockeys with winners at last year's Santa Anita meeting.

The competition is keen and it is hard to get mounts with such capable riders on hand as Arcaro, Ralph Nieves, Ismael Valenzuela, Jack Westrope, George Taniguchi, Pete Moreno and Rudy York.

Jack Macklin, for whom Michigan State's stadium is named, coached the Spartans to 29 victories in 34 games during five seasons—1911 through 1915.

Unbeaten PHS Cagers Meet Bay City

By BRUNO KEARNS
Sports Editor, Pontiac Press

One of the toughest known courts to play a basketball game is the little bandbox at Bay City Central where the home team Wolves could make it rough for a high flying team like Pontiac Friday night to start the new year.

The unbeaten Chiefs, with a 4-0

season mark, will be out to take an early lead in the Saginaw Valley Conference.

Presently, PHS is in a 2-0 tie in the SVC with Flint Northern, but the Vikings are idle until next Tuesday when they meet city rival Flint Central.

Thus a victory against Bay

City Central would temporarily give Pontiac sole possession of the league lead.

The Chiefs have been idle since December 21st when they defeated Edsel Ford 49-37 in a not-too-impressive showing.

Coach Art Van Ryzin has made a change in his roster and may be

forced to make a change in the starting lineup.

Big Roosevelt Alexander, 6-foot-4 forward, has been placed on the reserve team with the return of Jim Skinner who has regained scholastic eligibility.

Skinner played in the early part of last season. He is a 6-foot-3 junior forward.

"Alexander will help us more with a little experience, and by playing more with the reserve he can gain that experience," said Van Ryzin. "He definitely fits into our near future plans," he added.

Meanwhile, forward Terry Zellhart, who was sidelined for several weeks with a leg injury, has been missing from practice sessions again, this time with a case of chicken pox.

"He has been out since the Edsel Ford game, and has missed valuable practice. He may be able to play Friday," said Van Ryzin, "just so we all don't come down with chicken pox."

Should Zellhart not be a starter against Bay City, the Chiefs will have Skinner in his place and go

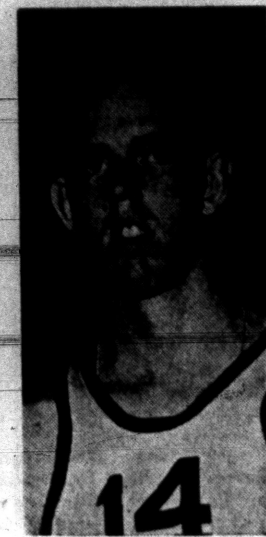
along with Dick Whitmer at the other forward slot.

Currently Pontiac's Dave Diehm and big Hudson Ray are among the top five scorers in the conference. Diehm leads the loop with a 19.2 average while Ray carries a 12 point per game mark. Despite its 1-2 record, Bay City Central has shown a good balanced scoring with three players among league's top ten. In 3rd and 4th spots are Chuck Crampton, 5-foot-11 guard and Don Kanicki, 6-foot-2 forward, with 14 and 12.6 averages respectively.

Bay City coach Art Paddy will start an all-senior team against Pontiac. "We figure we are a little stronger this year," said Paddy, "and we had some bad breaks in early season games."

At center Bay City has 6-foot-5 senior Bruce Lodevick who carries the burden of the team's rebounding.

The Wolves have been idle since December 14th when they lost a 61-55 at Saginaw. In this game Crampton hit for 26 points, which is the top individual effort for one game among league schools so far.



Pontiac Press Photos

SCORING RIVALS — High scoring rivals when St. Michael and St. Frederick meet at Pontiac High School Friday night are Dan Dropps (left) of the Mikes and Bill Mountain of the Rams. Mountain is Oakland County's top scorer with 100 points in four games, an average of 25 per contest. Dropps, one of St. Mike's best shots, has scored 39 points in three games for a 13-point average.

National Prep Group Gathers

CHICAGO (INS) — The National Federation Football committee opens its annual meeting in Chicago today to discuss rules changes for 1957 and hear a report on injuries among teenage athletes.

The committee will consider for adoption a rule prohibiting any intentional grasping of an opponent's face protector. A survey conducted at the end of the 1956 football season, indicates that such a change is being sought.

Reports of authorized experiments include reducing the ready-play time limit to 20 seconds and permitting one player to confer with his coach at the sideline during any charged time-out.

A detailed report will be made of the federation's new film, "Football for millions."

Halting Mountain Mikes' Task

How to stop St. Frederick's rangy Bill Mountain will be the big problem confronting St. Michael's unbeaten basketball team when the two intra-city rivals clash Friday night in the Pontiac/High School gymnasium.

No opponent has been able to bottle up the 6-foot-3 center since the season began.

In St. Fred's four previous court appearances, the sharp-

shooting Ram has netted 100 points for an average of 25 per game. He is currently the leading point-maker in Oakland County cage circles.

His lowest single game output was 20 when strong Highland Park St. Benedict handed the Rams a 54-46 setback for their lone defeat thus far.

Mountain accounted for 23, 28 and 29 points respectively in St.

Fred's victories over Hazel Park St. Rita, Ferndale St. James and Royal Oak St. Mary.

A senior transfer student from Pontiac High, he excels at rebounding and makes most of his buckets around and underneath the basket, although an occasional push shot from outside keeps defenses guessing.

The Shamrocks will have other worries too. Forward Tom Dercher, who likes to hook from the pivot, poses another scoring menace for the northlanders. Dercher has netted 57 points, a 14.1 average.

St. Mike, triumphant over Detroit St. Agatha, St. Rita and St. Clement of Center Line, hopes to counter with a two-pronged scoring punch of its own — Chuck Brown and Dan Dropps.

Brown, fond of firing left-handed sets, has tallied 44 points for a 14.2 average. Dropps, a jump-shot specialist, is averaging 13 per contest with 39 points.

Mountain will undoubtedly be giving his all against the Mikes for a reason other than the bitterness of the cross-town feud.

The Ram star becomes ineligible at the turn of the 2nd semester and will miss the St. Fred-St. Mike rematch Feb. 8.

That fact, at least, is one consolation for the Mikes.

Football First, Then Marriage for Ed Bailey

DALLAS (U)—Ed Bailey, first-string guard on the Syracuse football team, topped his visit to Texas for the New Year's Day Cotton Bowl game with a honeymoon with his college sweetheart.

Bailey and Miss Joan Anuario were married in St. Thomas The Apostle Episcopal Church yesterday. Her trip to Dallas was a wedding present from the school. They will return to Syracuse with the team tomorrow.

The tall, blond guard wore a large red scar on his nose as evidence of his labors in the Cotton Bowl, where Texas Christian nosed out Syracuse, 26-27.

Ex-Pirate Aide Dies

HARRISBURG, Pa. (U)—Howard C. Gordon, 61, a former business manager in the farm systems of the Pittsburgh Pirates and the Philadelphia Athletics, died last night at Polyclinic Hospital.

Walled Lake-Berkley Meet Big Game in Inter-Lakes

By CHUCK ABRAIR

A game that could have considerable bearing on the Inter-Lakes League's final standings is on tap at Walled Lake Friday night when the Vikings play host to defending champion Berkley in one of three loop contests scheduled as basketball resumes in full swing around the area.

Elsewhere in the league, Waterford goes to Van Dyke and Southfield plays at Farmington.

But all attention will be focused on the Walled Lake debacle where the arch rivals are rated even. The Bears won three last year and went on to take I-L honors. It is the first of two

games between the loop's pre-season favorites.

Unbeaten after four outings, one a triumph over Southfield, the home club will have its work out in order to keep that record spotless. Berkley bowed twice before walloping Waterford prior to the holidays but the losses were to such powers as Edsel Ford and Ferndale.

Both schools have been working diligently during vacation in hopes of being ready for the rugged grind coming up from here on. Walled Lake looked "fairly good and showed lots of hustle" in scrimmages against Pontiac and Lake Orion during the layoff, according to skipper Bill Ullenbruch.

Veterans John Walker and Larry Hughes received minor leg injuries in the sessions but should be back in top form for Berkley.

In the other Inter-Lakes battles, Waterford goes after its second season victory in three starts and No. 1 in the league at Van Dyke led by scoring ace Chuck Gillis who has 46 digits thus far.

Southfield hopes its well balanced offensive and greater height will offset Farmington's high-scoring duo of Bud Jones and Don McDonald.

CIO Cagers Win City Loop Game

The CIO Local 594 nipped the Boys Club and Walled Lake Super Market was awarded a forfeit victory in American division basketball games last night at Pontiac High as the City League resumed play after the holidays.

A field goal by Felix Brooks in the last five seconds enabled the CIO to nose out Boys Club in a 64-62 thriller.

Brooks was the sparkplug of the Union quintet with 23 points. Bob Johnston meshed 23 counters for the losers.

Walled Lake gained a gift decision when Stadium Inn failed to field a team at game time. It was the 1st forfeit of the season.

Unheralded Player Tourney Sensation

TAMPA, Fla. (U)—Left-handed Ivo Pimentel of Venezuela, the player nobody noticed in pre-tourney arranging, has wound up the sensation of the Dixie tennis tournament.

The Venezuelan, who plays a smashing game topped off by a booming serve, pulled the upset of the tournament yesterday in defeating fourth-seeded Roger Becker of England 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Pimentel today takes on defending champion Armando Vieira of Sao Paulo, Brazil, who's nifty on his feet too. Vieira had a rather tough time in defeating lanky Cal Dickson of Tampa yesterday, 6-4, 6-4.

Miami Buys Greengrass

PHILADELPHIA (U)—The Philadelphia Phillies announced today the sale of reserve outfielder Jim Greengrass to the Miami Marlins. Phil's triple A farm team in the International League.

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SKI EQUIPMENT



SKIS
\$5.45 to \$29.95

POLES
\$2.50 to \$9.50

BOOTS
\$9.50 to \$37.50

SWEATERS
\$12.95 to \$15.95

PARKAS
\$9.95 to \$14.95

PANTS
\$9.95 to \$11.95

CAPS.... \$1.95

BINDINGS
\$8.95 to \$13.95

USED
ICE
SKATES \$2⁹⁵

THE SPORTS SHOP

16 S. CASS AVE.

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