

# Clarenceville High School News

Material for this column is prepared by members of the Clarenceville High School Journalism Class

## Seniors Take Battery of Twelve Special Aptitude Tests May 14, 15

On May 14 and 15, Clarenceville seniors will receive the General Aptitude Test Battery as a vocational counseling tool. The testers were from the Michigan Employment Security Commission. The test is a combination of twelve tests measuring nine aptitudes. These aptitudes were identified by factor analysis studies in 59 different occupations. This test, however, eleven aptitudes were isolated. Some of these were: verbal ability—learning ability; verbal aptitude—ability to understand meaning of words and ideas associated with them; numerical aptitude—ability to perform simple operations quickly and accurately; and motor speed—ability to perceive pertinent detail in objects as in pictorial or graphic material.

## Five Attend UM Journalism Meet

Five members of the staff of the *Trojans* attended the 31st Annual Convention of the Michigan Intercollegiate Press Association Friday, May 16. The conference was held at the University of Michigan. Students attending the convention were: Editor, Mary Ann Lamb; Vice-Sponsor, Jim Lamb; and Joe Benstein. Sponsor of the trip was Miss M. Lauerman. Main speaker was Professor Howard L. Stowe, author and Farmington High School correspondent. Professor Stowe spoke on the topic, "Why I Like Newspaper Reporting." Immediately following the main address, the students attended courses in sports writing, layout and headline writing, feature writing and career opportunities in journalism.

## Sandra Cropiot To Visit Denmark

Sandra Cropiot, Clarenceville Junior, will spend the summer in Denmark. Sandra is the recipient of an award granted by the American Field Service. Under the American Field Service plan, students from foreign countries spend a year in the United States and the high school participating in the program is eligible to send a student to a foreign country for the summer program. Last year, Elda Bossena from Milan, Italy, attended Clarenceville. Sandra Cropiot represents Germany for the summer. This year, Wendy Spencer of Liverpool, England, is attending C.H.S. Sandra Cropiot returns for her stay of two months in Denmark. Sandra is active in extra-curricular activities as well as academic work. She is a member of the Student Council and a majorette for the band, as well as a member of the Pep Club. Among the requirements for an A.F.S. exchange student are high scholastic and citizenship averages and two years of a foreign language. Sandra has taken Latin and French.

## Ann Gault to Tour Europe

Ann Gault has been chosen to tour Germany this summer with the Michigan Choral. The group will arrive in Amsterdam on June 24. From there they will go to Stuttgart, June 29; Bonn, July 4-12; Heidelberg, July 16-20; Munich, July 20-August 1; Mendon, August 1-13; Hamburg, August 13-18; and Osnabruck, August 18-20. After the tour, the group will attend the Brussels World's Fair for six days. One of the musical highlights of the trip will be the annual Salzburg Music Festival in Austria. Ann plans to attend Graceland College in Lamoni, Iowa. Ann applied for the Michigan Choral through the Michigan Council of Churches. Her background in music includes three years of training in the high school choir and eight years of participation in a church choir.

## Cheerleaders Chosen Recently

Selection of cheerleaders for the 1958-59 school year was completed recently. Six girls were chosen for the varsity squad and five for the junior varsity. Varsity cheerleaders are: Kay Fields, Mary Snell, Lorraine Reume, Marilyn Johnson, Sandy Gougeon, and Joan Hanford. The junior varsity squad will consist of: Julie Dietrick, Dawn Redman, Ann Johnson, Barbara Watwood, and Kathy Pietec.

## Places Third in Band Competition

Clarenceville High's marching band has received word that the group placed third in competition at the "Michigans." The affair was held at Ann Arbor April 25. Seven bands competed in marching competition. First and second places in marching competition went to Ann Arbor High and Allen Park. The band, under the direction of Mr. Al Phipps, performed a series of formations before the judges. They were also rated on marching during the parade. Judges were centered throughout the crowd to observe such points as attention, pep, obedience, and appearance of the group.

## Text of Amended School Bus Law

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is the text of the law in Michigan specifying when, where, and how traffic must stop for school buses. (a) The driver of a vehicle shall stop to meet and pass any school bus which has stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging passengers. All school buses shall contain signs on the front and rear thereof, with respect thereto as shall be approved by the state highway commissioner. (b) The driver of a vehicle overtaking or meeting any school bus which has stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging passengers shall bring such vehicle to a full stop at least 10 feet from the school bus and shall not proceed until the school bus resumes motion or the school bus driver signals to proceed as indicated by a longer actuated. The driver of the school bus, before resuming motion, shall signal stopping to proceed and shall remain in that position until the school bus is completely clear of the school bus in a manner as to allow congested traffic to disperse by keeping back as near to the right side of the road as can be safely done. (c) No school bus driver shall stop his bus on the highway for the purpose of receiving or discharging passengers unless such bus is clearly visible in its stopped position to approaching vehicles for a distance of at least 500 feet. (d) The driver of a vehicle upon any highway which has been divided into two roadways by a physical barrier, or clearly indicated dividing sections so constructed as to impede vehicular traffic need not stop upon meeting a school bus across the dividing space, barrier or section. (e) Every school bus shall in addition to any other equipment required by law be equipped with signal lamps mounted as high and widely spaced laterally as practicable. Such lamps shall be flashing red lights on the front two alternately flashing red lights located at the same level and to the rear two alternately flashing red lights. Said lights shall be no less than six inches in diameter and shall have sufficient intensity to be visible at a distance of not less than 500 feet in normal sunlight and shall be actuated by the driver of said school bus whenever but only whenever such vehicle is stopped for the purpose of receiving or discharging school children.

## Local News Items

Marie Long GR. 4-3114

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lange and son, Brian, of Maple visited their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Clarke at Spaulding, Michigan, last week. The occasion was an open house for parents of boys invited into the mechanical engineering honor society at Spaulding University.

Sharon Louise Arvy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Arvy of Longacre, will be confirmed on May 25th at Grace Lutheran Church in Farmington.

Samuel Arvy of Longacre, George Howarth of Arundel and Herbert Gregg of Oakland attended the A.S.T.E. convention in Philadelphia recently. Sandra Cropiot presented a speech at the week-long convention.

Mrs. Rose Schramm of El Paso, Texas is spending a week here visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Van Yungling and Mr. and Mrs. Carlton M. Compher of Whitaker Street recently enjoyed a day trip to Washington, D.C., Baltimore, Maryland, and New York City on a combined business and pleasure trip. They visited several relatives in the East.

Mrs. Thomas R. Acock of Grand River Ave. flew to Highland, New York, on Monday to be with her grandfather who is very ill there.

A family celebration was held on Saturday, May 17th, for Mrs. Winston Jones of Grand River who was celebrating her birthday.

Marvin Lilley of Farmington, who was injured in a motorcycle accident last week, is now hospitalized at Redford Community Hospital. A former Farmington High School graduate, he is recovering from his wounds.

Mrs. and Mrs. John W. Hunt of Glenview Drive visited their daughter Betty and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Ernst of Grand Rapids, over the weekend.

Mrs. Carl VonRoden of Bradenton, Florida, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Nott of Wesley recently.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lee Stevens of Longacre have now returned from vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Taylor and daughter, Pat, of Farmington are leaving Farmington to make their home in California. Mr. Taylor has left about a week ago. They will make their home in San Bernardino, Mr. Taylor is with the Prudential Insurance Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Snyder of Grand River attended the "Leaders Convention" of the Life Insurance Company of Virginia at French Lick, Indiana for four days. They were accompanied by their friends and family who visited them in Kingsbury, Ohio.

Mrs. Hall Klendysmith of Wesley Drive entertained an aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Darr, of Three Rivers, Calif., recently. They were here in a family reunion was held in their honor with 42 guests from the Detroit area.

Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Ayres of Wesley recently visited their daughter, Lois, at college in Kalamazoo.

It is one of the worst of errors to suppose that there is any path of safety except that of duty.

William Nevins

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the cost thereof, which were originally prepared by the Oakland County Board of Commissioners, but which have been adopted and submitted by Fate and Hira, Inc., registered professional engineers. The following resolution was offered by Cairns and seconded by Fisher:

BE IT RESOLVED, as follows: 1. That this Board hereby tentatively declares its intention to improve each of the streets specified below by grading and paving the same with bituminous aggregate, and does hereby tentatively designate, as the special assessment districts against which the costs of such improvements are to be respectively assessed, the lands described under the respectively specified streets to-wit:

(a) Staman Circle Drive from its Western intersection with Rocky Crest Drive to its Eastern intersection with Rocky Crest Drive.

(b) Rocky Crest Drive from Powers Road to Orchard Lake Road.

(c) Belmont Drive from its Western intersection with Staman Circle Drive to its Eastern intersection with Staman Circle Drive.

(d) Fairmont Drive from Belmont Drive to Plover Road.

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ship Board on June 10th. Roll Call Vote: 7 yeas, Carried.

Motion by Cairns, supported by Fisher, that Township Board make funds with Oakland County Road Commission in the sum of approximately \$16,883.00. Roll Call Vote: 7 yeas, Carried.

Motion by Fisher, supported by Cairns, that we adopt the Resolution as read covering the Hazel Drain with addition of "without further expense to the Township." Motion withdrawn.

Motion by Fisher, supported by Cairns, that we recommend that the Chairman appoint two members of the Board to study and meet with the Livonia Traffic Commission to see what is expected, and then contact Oakland County Road Commission for further study and bring back recommendations next regular Meeting. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Cairns, supported by Fisher, that the Planning Board report on reasons for rejecting Preliminary Plat of Middle Manor Subdivision. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Fisher, supported by Cairns, that request for rezoning of 600 feet along Eight Mile Road be turned over to Planning Board for study and recommendations. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Brown, supported by Fisher, that the Township deny liability in matter of dog being Westlake. That the owners of property in Westhill Woods Subdivision be notified that the Township Board refuses to initiate action to rezone Lots as requested. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Brown, supported by Fisher, that the Opinion of Mr. Brennan be received and placed on file, and that a copy of said Opinion in re Annual Meeting be forwarded to Attorney General in writing. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Brown, supported by Fisher, that permission be granted for School Board to construct sewer line on Powers to Ten Mile and hook into city sewer system. Carried, unanimous.

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Motion by Brown, supported by Fisher, that matter of Well Driller's Ordinance be referred to Township Attorney for study and recommendations. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Cairns, supported by Fisher, that the Preliminary Plat of Drake Farms Subdivision be given tentative approval, subject to walking easement eight (8) feet wide on the East side of Lot 23 and North side of Lot 24, and also subject to the approval of the Oakland County Road Commission and Oakland County Health Department. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Fisher, supported by Cairns, that the Township Board have a Special Meeting to study and revise the Budget to conform with the mandate of the citizens to delete approximately \$53,000 from the Budget at the Annual Meeting. Carried, unanimous.

Motion by Avery, supported by Fisher, that request for final approval and court of Meadebrook Subdivision be referred to Planning Board for joint meeting on May 22nd, with all parties at the meeting, for a full discussion and definite conclusion. Carried, unanimous.

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