

WEST POINT PARK (Held Over From Last Week)

Leroy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willoughby, of Mayfield avenue, was quite ill with flu this past week.

Mrs. Morris, of Farmington Road, is quite ill with flu. Little Harold McVicar is convalescing from a stage of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Auld, and son Wayne, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Chagnac of Wayne.

Mrs. A. Bollinger of West Branch, was the guest the past week, of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bollinger.

Members of the Wonder Book Club made merry over a valentine box at the close of their Bible and story hour Friday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Gordon Cameron are expected to be present next Friday evening. Owing to a delay in the arrival of a heating stove, Rev. Gordon Cameron was obliged to postpone the opening of his mission on Sunday. It is to be opened February 23, however, and all are cordially invited to join in the opening service, which will be held Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

The small white cottage on site of the Weigle property on North... Pierson P.T.A. "Special Notice" meeting Thursday, February 27, "Founders Day Program," with a special guest speaker on "Relations of the Community Toward the Teacher." A nominating committee will be appointed. This is your opportunity to select the most capable persons to lead our local group. March 1 is the deadline for all dues. Persons wishing to join must do so before this date. See Mrs. Lucian Gilbert or Mrs. Harry S. Wolfe. Your P.T.A. needs and requests your support.

Miss Doris Gilbert was the Sunday night guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles Gilbert of Plymouth. Miss Shirley J. Zwalhen was the Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and...

Mrs. C. Kilgore of Plymouth. Captain and Mrs. O. L. Duncan, of Detroit, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zwalhen.

Mrs. and Mrs. Marvin Adels with Mr. and Mrs. Guard Parks of Detroit, attended the Builders' Show in Detroit, Sunday. Mrs. Max Bergin and daughter Sharon of Howell, were Saturday all day guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Adels.

Mrs. John Hill of Vanderbilt was the guest of several of her old neighbors, last Thursday.

WEST FARMINGTON (Held Over From Last Week)

Mr. and Mrs. Starr Graham and son Lloyd spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Prochnow at Garden City.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Knapp and Mrs. Edith Graham motored to Hartland Sunday to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Giesler.

Ray Marsh and son Leon spent one day at the Farmers' Week at Michigan State College. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham are the parents of a baby girl, Ellen Gail. Mrs. Mottel Bachelor is caring for mother and baby.

Miss Charlotte Heliker and George B. Heliker, who are attending college at Ann Arbor spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Heliker of Maple Road. Joyce Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Graham, is spending this week with her grandmother, Mrs. Herman Ehrcke.

Mrs. Harry Colestock and Grace Heliker sponsored a valentine party for the Youth Temperance Council at the home of Mrs. Arthur Pierce Monday evening.

Plans for a birthday party, commemorating the official Girl Scout Birthday on March 12, will be discussed at a special meeting of all the groups in Troop No. 1, which is being called by Mrs. Robert Cale, troop leader.

The girls of Brownie Troop No. 4 are weaving blocks for an afghan, which is to be presented to the Pontiac Red Cross by Brownie Troops Nos. 4 and 2. The following girls in Troop 4 have received their Brownie pins. It is reported by...

Mrs. L. Montes, troop leader; Nancy Isley, Shirley McLaughlin, Dolores Mosley, and Annelmaria Reich.

Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Zemper who are interested in inaugurating Girl Scout Troops in the Our Lady of Sorrows school, were the guests of Brownie Troop No. 2 at the regular meeting on Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Delos Hamlin, troop leader. The girls also celebrated the eighth birthday of Signe Lindahl, presenting her with the Brownie handkerchief from the troop.

Six girls of Troop No. 1 entertained their mothers at a Valentine luncheon on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Grady McKay. The luncheon was planned, prepared, and served by the girls, and culminated with the work on their hostess badge, which is a phase of the Home Making work being directed by Mrs. McKay. Corsages for the mothers and place cards also were made by the girls. The afternoon's program featured games and a reading by Lois Goers. The girls in this group are Jennie Powers, Joyce Samuelson, Margaret Elkins, Betty Jane Moore, Barbara Roberts, and Lois Goers.

Work on their Community Life program is being stressed by the girls of Troop No. 6, under the leadership of Mrs. Mary Goodell and Mrs. John Hunt. At the meeting on Thursday afternoon, it is planned to select the Juliette Low member of the troop.

Troop No. 5, under Mrs. Warren Joy, will pick up newspapers and magazines next Saturday on the north side of Farmington.

POST GRADUATE TRAINING IN CARE OF MOTHERS. In Michigan physicians to the number of 126 have taken a two-week postgraduate obstetrical course sponsored by the Michigan Department of Health in the last three years.

The courses are given at the University Hospital at Ann Arbor and are open to any practicing physician on the endorsement of his local medical society.

Russell de Alvarez, instructor for the courses, has been appointed field consultant in obstetrics for the State Health Department. He succeeds Dr. Clair E. Polsonne who resigned to become executive director of the National Committee on Maternal Health, Inc.

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PLAN PRODUCTION CENSUS IN OAKLAND COUNTY

A national productive facilities census is now being taken under orders from William S. Knudsen and Sidney Hillman. Donald F. Walker, manager of the Chamber of Commerce of Pontiac, has been put in charge of the survey in Oakland County by Don C. Weeks, president of the Michigan Commercial Secretaries Association and a member of the committee appointed by Governor Murray D. Van Wagner to rush the census to completion in Michigan at the earliest possible date. This census is expected to provide a nationwide inventory of machines and facilities.

Messrs. Knudsen and Hillman have stated that if industry is to do its part in defending America, successful use must be made of every productive facility adaptable to defense production—including thousands of "small" plants.

Many such plants are located in Oakland County outside the City of Pontiac and only a few of these are listed as members of the State Manufacturers Association or other organizations assisting in making the census. All of these plants are urged to immediately get in touch with Mr. Walker at the Chamber of Commerce in Pontiac by letter or telephone and he will immediately mail to them copies of the forms which must be used in identifying their plant, stating the nature of their business, explaining whether they are now engaged in work on Defense program either through defense orders or sub-contract.

Small manufacturers, tool and die plants, and other small units in the southern part of the county may turn in their reports either to Mr. Walker at Pontiac or to Willis Hall, Industrial Director of the Detroit Board of Commerce, 320 W. Lafayette street, Detroit, either of which is the more convenient.

If the persons requesting and receiving the census forms wish assistance in filling them out, such assistance will be provided at the office of the Pontiac Chamber of Commerce or the Detroit Board of Commerce.

Mayors of cities, and presidents of villages are being asked by Mr. Walker to cooperate in listing the

industries, in getting the forms to them and in seeing that they are filled out and delivered.

TEACHER INCREASE LAGS IN STATE SAYS U. M. REPORT

While enrollment and number of graduates per year have increased tremendously in Michigan high schools during the last ten years, increases in the number of teachers have failed to keep up with the trend, a new University of Michigan report reveals.

Poor pay for teachers, inadequate library facilities, and an inferior quality of work done by high school pupils, are singled out for censure in the annual publication report of Dr. George E. Carrothers, director of the University's Bureau of Co-operation with Educational Institutions.

Total enrollment in Michigan high schools has increased 54 percent in the ten years covered by Dr. Carrothers' study, while the number of graduates per year has more than doubled. Dr. Carrothers compares these figures with an increase in the number of teachers of only seven per cent. While the number of schools in the State is probably sufficient, he states, there is a definite need for more and better teachers.

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Where the cultural directions say to sow when danger of frost is over, seeds may be sown on the average date of the latest spring killing frost in your vicinity. The map accompanying this article shows what this date is in many localities, and if you are in doubt an inquiry at the nearest weather office will settle the question.

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How to Be Sure Your Seeds Are Safe from Frost



Average Date of Last Killing Frost for Principal Cities. From U. S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Reports.

How can the home gardener be sure that what he plants will escape injury by frost? The answer is that he cannot, but he can be reasonably sure, so that only one year in ten will he suffer loss from the weather.

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