

WEST POINT PARK

By L. A. Ault.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strombeck, from Wayne, were calling on relatives in West Point Park the first of the week.

Donald and Roger Ross, Hubbard Ave., were both reported ill

this last week.

Jack and Raymond Nelson, Hubbard Ave., are both ill.

It is said that fifty per cent of the attendance at Piersen School was out by illness this last week.

Leslie Hunter, from Detroit, was a caller in West Point Park Saturday.

Frank Broquet spent Saturday

at the home of his son, Leonard, near Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Altman and son, John Jr., have returned from a ten day visit with relatives in Calumet.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Muir and children of Shady Side Ave. spent the last week-end visiting with friends in Adrian.

Mrs. Herman Schult and daughters, Marietta and Janet, shopped in Northville two days this last week.

Mrs. Albert Owen shopped in Detroit Saturday.

Miss Ina Mae Tallman and Wanda Graham were shopping together in Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Margaret Martin and Mrs. M. E. Ault visited in downtown Detroit one day during the last week.

Mrs. E. W. Stange received notification Thursday of the death of her youngest brother, Mr. Wallace, in Canada.

Mrs. Austin Ault was honored at the first birthday celebration of her grandson, Ruth Ann Oman, in Toledo, December 2nd.

The E. W. Stanges visited with relatives in Detroit Sunday.

The Senior Girl Scouts held an enthusiastic meeting Monday night at last week at the home of their leader, Mrs. Howard Middlewood. Much of the time was spent in making preparations to fill the booth of which the Scouts were to have charge at the P.T.A. Bazaar held in Piersen School Saturday.

At her home on Farmington Road, Miss Iva Grant tendered a miscellaneous shower Friday night to Miss Betty Roberts, former West Point Park girl, now residing near Plymouth. Miss Roberts' marriage is to be an event of this week. Guests at the shower included a number of the bride to be's friends.

Allice Jane Vance was reported on the sick list part of this last week.

The various rooms of Piersen School are making great preparations for their annual Christmas parties to be held the latter part of next week.

Mrs. Lewis Graham and Fred Ault went in to Detroit together Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shelman were visiting at the home of Mrs. Shelman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tallman one day this last week. The Shelmans have purchased and are now occupying a residence on Nine Mile, near Middle Belt.

Kindergarten at the Piersen School enjoyed an appropriate birthday party one day last week when the mother of a youngster for whom celebration was due arrived on the scene with a hand-made cake and all the accompaniments.

George Misner, from down Eight Mile Road, was a caller at the Emerspa Ault home this last week.

Robert M. Hunter, lately discharged from the U.S. Air Force,

is back at his pre-war job at Glen Eden.

Private Schneider, from the U.S. Army, has been enjoying a visit with his wife and four children on Hubbard Ave. It is hoped that he may get a discharge in time for Christmas.

Sunshine Sisters have been doing a floor-painting job on the floor of the Neighborhood Church. However, everything is expected to be unsmelly and dry in time for the usual services next Sunday, which include Bible School at 11 a.m. and a Vesper meeting at 7 p.m. Special Christmas programs are in preparation for the following Sunday.

The Sunshine Sisters are holding their regular every-other-week meeting Wednesday of this week, but their annual Christmas party will be held in the Neighborhood Church on Wednesday afternoon, December 19th. At this party there will be the usual grab-bag exchange of gifts. Each lady is asked to bring with her a wrapped package to be placed for drawing out, in the bag. Children accompanying parents should also bring gifts so as to have a small exchange of their own.

An article appearing in one of the Detroit dailies last week aroused much interest among older residents of West Point Park. It was the story of a co-operative store being conducted under the direction of their principal by the

pupils of Treadwell School, Wayne County. The venture has been a success ever since the plan was inaugurated back in 1939 by Edwin L. Johnson. Mr. Johnson was for a number of years a resident of West Point Park and still lives just outside the community. At one time he served as principal of Piersen School and is still in educational work.

Farm Woodlots

Foresters recommend some simple practices which would increase farm woodlot production from the present average of 85 board feet per acre per year to an average of 150 or more board feet. The first recommendation is to protect the woodlot from grazing and from fires because such protection will enable the trees to replace themselves. Other ways to improve lumber yields include cutting vines which choke desirable trees, cutting or girdling wide crowned trees which hamper the growth of younger trees, and removing worthless species which compete with desirable ones. Farm woodlots should be thick on the west and southwest sides to break winter and stormy winds.

Improving Pastures

Mowing is the least expensive and one of the most profitable ways to improve pastures, agronomists of the agricultural extension service point out. Mowing will help in controlling weeds, and increase quantity and quality of grazing.

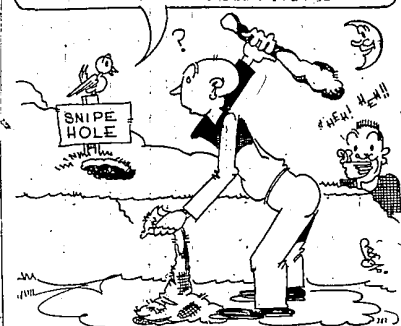
Drying Rubber

Quick trick to speed the drying of rubberized foundations which do not open flat: After rolling in a bath towel, place it on another dry towel and stuff with crumpled tissue. This raises the top half so that air can circulate through it.

Clever Washcloth

Here's a clever way to use up those left-over silvers and scraps of toilet soap. Put them into a small Turkish towel bag when taking a bath; this bag full of soap can be put into the tub and you'll have wash cloth and soap in one.

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12:30 Sharp

57 HEAD CATTLE: Hanes Tested: Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, due March 23, milking; Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, due March 29, milking; Holstein cow, 2 yrs. old, fresh, 5 weeks; Guernsey cow, 3 yrs. old, milking, due June 7; Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, milking, due Jan. 12; Holstein heifer, 18 mo. old, pasture bred; Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, due Dec. 17; Holstein cow, 2 yrs. old, milking, due June 14; Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, milking, due July 21; Holstein cow, 3 yrs. old, milking, due June 23; Holstein cow, 2 yrs. old, fresh 5 weeks; Holstein cow, 4 yrs. old, milking, due March 19; Holstein cow, 18 mo. old, pasture bred; Holstein cow, 4 yrs. old, due Feb. 1, milking; Guernsey cow, 3 yrs. old, milking, due Jan. 27; Holstein cow, 6 yrs. old, milking, due March 23; Holstein cow, 2 yrs. old, milking, due about June; 2 Holstein heifers, 7 mo. old; 3 steers, 7 mo. old; 4 steers, 18 months old.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS: Dining table, walnut; 2 good studio couches; nearly new 1212 rug; new table top kerotone runner, book case, buffets, drawers, beds, dishes and kitchen utensils.

50 CHICKENS.

FRESH AND DRY: 120 bu. oats; quantity corn; 256 bu. wheat; 610 bu. hay; 43 tons low hay; 29 feet caslake.

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