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## NOVI NEWS

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(Too late for last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tiffany are rejoicing over the birth of a little daughter at Harper Hospital Wednesday evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Lindner, former residents of Novi, are having an auction sale at their farm near

### Michigan Mirror

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the existence of food shortages overseas.  
Drew Middleton, veteran correspondent of the New York Times, reports that such food shortages are widespread throughout Western Europe. He says the grain shortage extends from England to the Balkans.

Our Michigan newspaper editor insists that "practically every small restaurant in the state is ignoring the (food-saving) program" and that meat markets sell as much meat on Tuesday as they ever did. Methods used to save food may be justly unpopular. The poultry fiasco is a good example. However, we do accept as premise No. 1: Western Europe will go hungry and cold this winter unless aid is forthcoming from the outside. The question of food saving then is not whether there are shortages of food in Europe, but rather whether we, as Americans, want to try make up amount of food Europe has grown and the amount it will need for minimum physical good health and survival.  
How is food saving at home linked to American foreign policy? This question will be discussed next week.



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### WOMAN'S CLUB HEARS TALK ON MODERN MOVIES

A pleasing and informative talk on "We Go To The Movies" was given by Mrs. Max Williams of Royal Oak at the Farmington Woman's Club meeting held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Constock on Wednesday afternoon, November 5. Mrs. Williams has served as a member of a special committee on "Modern Movies" for a period of nineteen years. She has been appointed by five mayors of Royal Oak and in the course of her work has met many of the noted people of Hollywood. She stated that modern education consists of "reading, radio and reels" instead of the three R's of other days designated as "readin' writin' 'n' rithmetick".

A relative of Mrs. Zayda Wilber, and a frequent visitor at Farmington in earlier years, the speaker mentioned some of her earlier recollections of the house and neighbors.

Besides the speaker, two other guests, Mrs. William Bult of Detroit and Mrs. Russell Gaston were

present. The hostess, assisted by Miss Meriah Andrews, served sweet cider and doughnuts at the close of the meeting.  
The next regular meeting is scheduled to be held Wednesday, December 2.

**First Bible Society**  
The first Bible society was the Geneva Bible Institute, in the Orphan's home in Halle, founded by the Marquis of Casteln in 1710, which distributed, before 1719, 40,000 Bibles and 100,000 New Testaments.

**When Women Shaved**  
There was a period in ancient Egypt when royal women shaved their heads so that their favorite headresses would fit.

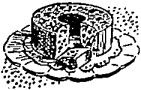
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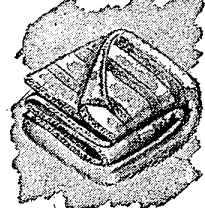
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### Mayan Life Was Rich in Color, Discovery Proves

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Still another, exceptional find is a heroic statue of a jaguar carved in limestone, a figure about 11 feet long, two feet wide and a foot high. The importance of the newly discovered murals is underscored by the scarcity and inadequacy of Mayan paintings previously discovered. The greatest part of what archeologists have thus far been able to learn about the Mayas has derived from the study and interpretation of glyphs, architectural forms, pottery and stone carvings. The latter both two and three dimensional. Until the recent Healey find, only three specimens of Mayan paintings had been uncovered.

### 4-H CLUB LEADER

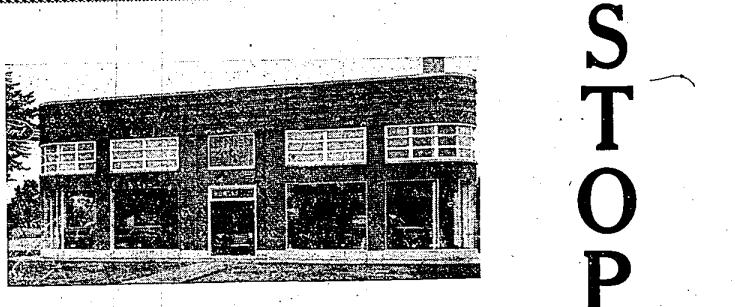


**LEORA SMITH**  
Leora Smith, who recently joined the state 4-H Club staff at Michigan State college as assistant state leader comes from Shiawassee county, where she has been home demonstration agent since 1945.  
From 1943 to 1945, Miss Smith was district home demonstration agent for Gratiot, Montcalm and Isabella Counties. She obtained her B.S. degree from Michigan State college in 1936 and taught home economics at Gladwin, Grandville and Alma until she joined the extension staff in 1945.  
Miss Smith holds membership in the Grange and in several professional organizations.

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