



TWO OBSERVERLAND TEACHERS examine a soap pelt, which was part of a display on Michigan animals at a recent teacher workshop in Livonia's Cass School. Cheryl Smith, Eagle School, Farmington, and Mrs. Phillip Johnson, Junior High West, Plymouth, are the teachers.



A GENERAL VIEW OF THE Cass Elementary School teacher workshop open house illustrates some of the unique facilities of the school. All of the classrooms encircle a central activity area and can be opened for group study by utilizing the folding partitions.

## Teacher Workshop Provides New Materials For Classroom Interest

As the result of a four-week workshop conducted at Cass School in Livonia, many Observerland teachers will be able to offer their students enriched programs and materials previously not available. The workshop, which ended last week, is an annual affair, and has been held at Cass for the last four years. It is actually a credit course offered by Michigan State University. Approximately 25 of the workshops are held in different locations throughout the state during the summer. Area Chambers of Commerce aid the program by providing some materials. For the Livonia program, Board of Education made Cass School available. Director of the workshop is Corlan Bovee, principal of Cass School.

He explained that the purpose of the program is to acquaint teachers with the community around them and to give them a chance to develop contacts in the community. One of the major differences between this program and most college courses is that instead of preparing a term paper, which would be of no practical use to anybody, the participants develop sets of teaching materials. "The materials are reproduced so that they are available not only to the teachers in the workshop, but to others who would like to use them."

## Agree Before Wedding, Home Economist Says

One out of every four marriages in the U.S. fails today, says Mrs. June Sears, home economist with the Co-operative Extension Service in Wayne, Oakland and Macomb counties.

"Dating customs might put some light on the cause. Dating may help a maturing person become aware of the many facets of his own personality. Use of money and arrangements for handling it and child rearing practices are principles. Relative value of material wealth as compared to service or living the 'good life.' Importance of social status as determined by the man's chosen occupation. Kinds and amounts of social life and other leisure time activities. Any subject on which either partner has strong convictions. Fewer marriages would fall apart if about-to-be marrieds seriously discussed these points. Take a good long look at your future husband or wife. Sit down together and discuss the vital issues concerning a marriage relationship. Come to an agreement before saying the 'I do's.' Above all, be realistic. If it is impossible to agree on the major points, it might be best to break off the relationship immediately. Working out the small things now will eliminate many big problems later, Mrs. Sears points out.

Studies in St. Louis Mary Ann Fuertsch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fuertsch, of Brookfield, Livonia, is studying at St. Louis Institute of Music this summer on a scholarship.



LIFE OF MICHIGAN INDIANS is illustrated in an exhibit examined by, from left, Mrs. Albus Benedict, Farmington Elementary and Garden City; Mrs. James Hill, Hull School; Mrs. Arlie Moore, Patches School, Wayne; Mrs. Vigil Keeney, Westland Elementary.

## Part-Time Scholarships Available for Women

Incentive scholarships from the Women of Wayne Alumni are again available for women between the ages of 25 and 35 who want to do part-time study on credit program at Wayne State University. The awards will be made in September. Applications should be made immediately. Mrs. Alexander Wescott, of Devonshire Road, national president of Women of Wayne says: "We are gratified with the tremendous response for this type of scholarship. There are many women in the older age group that are unable to attend the university full-time because of home or job responsibilities. This has encouraged me to continue this education."

There is also the chance for teachers to learn the method of preparing unique materials. They learn to take color slides, to use reproduction materials, to contact the people they need to help them in a certain area. This year the workshop had 34 participants.

Further information may be obtained from Dorothy J. Moor, Alumni House, Wayne State University, TE 3-1400. Teen Dance Features Psychedelic Light Show and music by the Michiganans and Ourselves will be featured at the July 28 dance sponsored by The Tavern, a Northville teen club. The dances are held each Friday evening in Northville Community Center. The cost is \$1 for members of the club and \$1.50 for others.

## Duplicate Bridge Meet Schedule For Friday

The Mayfair Duplicate Bridge Club will hold its first charity game in cooperation with the American Contract Bridge League on Friday evening, July 28. The proceeds of this game will be used to help defray the expenses of American players competing in international events. The charity game features bridge hands that are sent from the ACBL headquarters in Connecticut and will be identical to those being played in charity games all over the country on the same evening. At the close of the game, analysis sheets will be given to all players, so that a study may be made of the auction and play of each hand. Game time is 8 p.m. and all charity games are to be

simultaneously. Master points ratings are equivalent to sectional tournaments. Reservations are being taken for those who wish to be assured of the opportunity to play in this event.

The game will take place at the regular Mayfair Bridge quarters at 32905 Northwestern Highway, at 14 Mile Road, on the main floor of the Norwest Lanes. This area is air conditioned. For further information, call MA 6-2109.

**Birth**  
 A son, Joseph Omar, was born June 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Omar Chamie, of Melrose, Livonia. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. John Kleiber, of Livonia.

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