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One thing difficult to understand is how a rumor that hasn't a leg to stand on, manages to get around.

### NEWS REPORTS

**EUROPE**  
Feb. 13, 11:15 — Singer John Sneydy

**INDIA**  
Feb. 13, 7:30 — Walter Olson

**MEXICO**  
Feb. 15, 7:30 — Maude Hunsberger

**BOLIVIA**  
Feb. 16, 7:30 — Minnie Myers

**BRAZIL**  
Feb. 16, 1:00 — Mrs. Tyler

**ORIENT**  
Feb. 17, 7:30 — Hubert Mitchell

**SOUTH AMERICA**  
Feb. 18, 7:30 — Pilot G. Harrott

**AFRICA**  
Feb. 20, 11:15 — Melvin Donald

**IRAN**  
Feb. 20, 6:30 — Allen McAnis

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### Local Garden Club Names Committee Chairmen For 1955

The Farmington Garden Club committee chairmen for the current year were recently announced by Mrs. James Robertson, president.

The standing committee chairmen are as follows: Mrs. Raymond Brent, conservation; Miss Mary DeLand, courtesy; Mrs. K. B. Willoughby, flower show; Mrs. Paul Schreiber, horticulture; Mrs. Harriet Walters, hostesses; Mrs. Ray Bodlan, junior gardeners; Mrs. Henry Otis, membership; Mrs. Arthur Schellenbrand, program; Mrs. Joseph DeNies, publicity; Mrs. Richard Lancaster, roadsides; and Mrs. Howard L. Richards, scrap book.

The special committee chairmen are as follows: Mrs. Donald Dutton, air posters; Mrs. Walter Gaerger, budget and audit; Mrs. W. Nelson Allen, card party; Mrs. Earl Marks, greens market; Mrs. G. Dönnighe, horticultural therapy; Mrs. Henry R. Farmer, way and means; and Mrs. Gordon Walker, year book.

These chairmen will plan and coordinate events for the current year.

Every bad habit acquired by a person actually places a chattel mortgage on his personality.

### WOMEN'S CLUB TO HEAR NOTED ARTIST IN DETROIT FEB. 15

Robert A. Thom, of Bloomfield Township and internationally known artist, will be the guest speaker at a Detroit Osteopathic Women's Club luncheon program meeting on Tuesday, February 15, at 12:30 p.m. at the Women's City Club, Detroit.

Mr. Thom has won wide acclaim for his paintings of the current history of Pharmacy series for Paacke, Davis and Company, begun in 1951. A native of Grand Rapids, Mr. Thom attended the Institute of Fine Arts in Columbus, Ohio. After working for Detroit Edison for several years in the art department, doing display, design and layout work, he became affiliated with Chevrolet Motors in the Art Department until 1945, when he started his own studio.

Mr. Thom is a member of the Royal Canadian Society of Illustrators and the Scarab Club of Detroit, and spends much time abroad in doing research for authentic detail and historical background for his painting series.

On the hostess committee are Mrs. L. E. Schaeffer, Farmington; Mrs. W. C. Herbold, Plymouth; Mrs. O. L. Brooker, Livonia; and Mrs. H. E. Jones, Franklin.

Taking reservations are Mrs. Joseph Amalfitano, Dr. Bernice Kani, Mrs. Frank Tyler and Mrs. M. L. Ponzit.

### High In National Bowling Tourney



Wanda Cenko, left, and Sylvia Gazley, right, of Farmington High School, placed sixteenth in national bowling competition by rolling a 7-8-9 series in annual Christmas bowling tournament sponsored by the American Junior Bowling Congress. They were among 3,294 teams participating in the doubles division of the tourney. Beverly Woodland and Dick Pressley placed third in the mixed doubles division and Ronald Roberts and Dennis Coffman placed 120th in the boys' doubles.

### Grace Lutheran Groups Active

The annual Grace Lutheran Men's sauer kraut supper will be held Thursday, February 17, at the church, Grand River at Imperial Highway. Serving will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Elmer Hoffman is chairman of the dinner, assisted by Irene Sewell and Marge Marcus, Circle leaders; and Evelyn Hoffman and Bernice Sewell. The Ruth and Esther Circle will prepare and serve the meal.

A meeting of the club on Thursday evening, February 3, in the church basement, over 500 men were in attendance for a supper prepared by the men on the kitchen committee. Walter Shutz showed a film on the Lutheran Layman's League. The next meeting will be held on the first Thursday in March.

The Senior Young Peoples Society of Grace Church will present "The Snare," a movie produced by the Young People, on Friday evening, February 18. The cast includes Harold Nimer, Jr., Barbara Putebaugh, John Donohue, Jr., Chuck Hauff, Carole Spamer, Susan Hinks, Dave Palmer, Jack Keller and Mary Bird.

The Ladies Guild of Grace Church will hold its regular meeting on Thursday, February 10, at 8:00 p.m. The entertainment of the evening will be a piano recital by Miss Lucille Stanaback, a braile student from the Bible Institute.

### OAKLAND COUNTY P. T. A. COUNCIL TO MEET FEB. 15

The Oakland County Council of P. T. A. will meet Tuesday, February 15, at the Orchard Lake Community Church on Commerce Road.

Registration at the meeting will be between 8:45 and 9:15 a.m. A discussion program on planning and promoting will be conducted. Miss Freda Huggest, visiting teacher from Waterford Township, will be consultant for the day.

A play "Random Target" under the direction of Mrs. Harold Zimmerman will be presented. A reservation luncheon will be served at noon, followed by three workshops in the afternoon.

Reservations for the program may be made by contacting Mrs. Lester Carlson, Federal 3-3277; Mrs. A. Upward, Maple 5-4866; and P. Kozlowski, Empire 3-2481. Deadline for making reservations is Friday, February 11.

The income tax division of our government should be mighty glad the taxpayers have what it takes.

**IT'S A GIRL**

A girl, Paula Jean, weighing 8 pounds 6 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Packard of 28407 Alyceak on January 27 at the Detroit Osteopathic Hospital. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Packard and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mechem.

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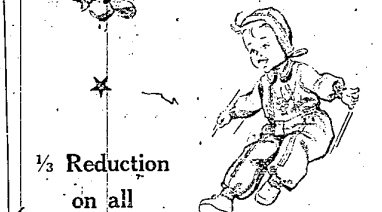
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### GIRL SCOUT HEADS OF OUR LADY OF SORROWS MEET

At a neighborhood meeting of Girl Scout leaders and committeewomen of Our Lady of Sorrows Parish held January 21 at the Parish Hall, plans were formulated for a Juliette Lowe party on March 19.

Mary Jane Redwine of the South Oakland County Girl Scout committee, was guest speaker. Along with her talk, Mrs. Redwine showed a movie on activities at the Day Camp conducted by the South Oakland County group.

Mrs. Peter Kenny and Mrs. Romero were appointed as chairman and co-chairman, respectively, of the forthcoming Girl Scout Cookie Sale by neighborhood chairman George Harris.

A meeting of Catholic personnel in Scouting was held February 4 at the Activities Building of the League of Catholic Women in Detroit, with the Reverend Redrick Mibey, C. P., of St. Paul's Monastery conducting the conference.

Members attending from Our Lady of Sorrows were Mrs. Guy Boatman, Mrs. Fred Bader, and Mrs. Peter Kenny.

### LOCAL STUDENTS TAKE PART IN BAND FESTIVAL

On February 5, several members of the Farmington Junior High Band traveled to Ypsilanti to participate in the District Solo and Ensemble Festival.

Director R. H. Zimmerman accompanied the participants to the Michigan State Normal College where the festival took place in several buildings on the campus.

The following students played as soloists from the Junior High Band: Lois Ayres, piano; Barbara Mapley, flute; Christine Clark, flute; Marjorie Lam, clarinet; Dick Stambaugh, clarinet; Judy Westfall, clarinet; Jill Phelps, clarinet; Sharon Hausen, alto sax.

Nancy Irwin and Mary Hult presented a woodwind duet. Denise McValley, senior, played a concert solo.

### Area-Wide Girl Scout Cookie Sale To Get Under Way February 14

The annual Southern Oakland Girl Scout Cookie Sale will begin next week as more than 550 Girl Scouts begin taking cookie orders on Monday, February 14. The sale is a major effort on the part of the girls to raise money for a year-round camping program and for their own troops.

This year Scout girls hope to sell 80,000 boxes of cookies in Southern Oakland County to help build valuable additions to the established day camps, and to buy special equipment for troop camping.

The new Indianwood Day Camp, located north of Pontiac, must be equipped with a water system, toilets, and storage building. The campsite is a recent purchase of the Southern Oakland Girl Scout Council and will be ready this summer to serve more than 800 campers.

### Two Girls Join Scout Troop 76

Candlelight investiture ceremonies were held Tuesday, February 1, for Girl Scout Troop 76 at the Middlebelt School, Mrs. Calhoun, leader, heard the Girl Scout Promise recited by two new members, Anita Currie and Sandra Walder. The new members were presented with Girl Scout pins. The ceremony was carried out with the assistance of Mrs. Blackout and Mrs. Reynolds.

Refreshments of pop, ice cream and cookies were served.

Mrs. Robert Pooley has given instructions in Swedish embroidery at the last three meetings. This project will help the girls attain the Needlecraft Badge, which is a proficiency badge.

A mothers' meeting was held on February 2 at the home of Mrs. Reynolds on Middlebelt Road. The evening was spent planning for the future activities. The Troop is anticipating a camping trip in the month of June.

### IT'S A GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. John Raymond Makapoy of 33437 Adams are the proud parents of a baby girl, Sherry Jo, born January 31 at Mt. Carmel Hospital. The baby weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces at birth. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mechem and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McTraw are the honored grandparents.

### Plan Clarenceville Variety Show

A large audience is expected at the annual P. T. A. "Variety" show to be presented Thursday evening, February 17, in the Clarenceville High School gym.

Featured numbers on this year's show are: Mrs. Glen Ransdatter, violin; Mrs. Ardis Lang and Mrs. Wynemah Barnes Harton, vocalists; Faculty Men's Barber Shop Quartet; Judy Doney and the Burkins in tap specialties; Bev Foster; accordion; Herb Nealey, maracina; and Carolyn Smith, zither.

A new and novel feature will be an old-fashioned melodrama presented by the High School Teachers Club.

Tickets may be purchased from members of the Parent Teachers Association.

### Hold Party For Men's Ward At Eloise Jan. 30

A party sponsored by the Universalist and Unitarian Churches of this area was given at a men's ward at Eloise on Sunday, January 30.

Most of the men in the ward were those never having visitors and for the most part forgotten by the outside world. Composed of 155 men, the ward was made up of many mentally withdrawn patients.

Another party this month is planned by the Farmington Universalist and Northwest Universalist Churches.

Local ladies present at the party included Adella Munn, Mrs. Francis, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Hogan, and Mrs. Bee.

### Bond School PTA To Meet Feb. 21

The Bond School P. T. A. will meet on February 21 at 8 p.m. and hear a talk by Mrs. Sylvia Ehrhart of Milford on civil defense. Quoting her letter, her talk will be on "What You All May Do To Lessen Anxiety and Increase Participation Early in Your Own Civil Defense Program."

The Girl Scouts will be represented and a short talk will be given on their coming cookie sale.

The Women's High Troop will be prepared to take orders in the lobby for March delivery of the cookies.

If parents of the Bond School area wonder as to the potatoes for the Founders Day dinner, they should have peeked in the kitchen at the school last week. They would have seen "operation potatoes" in full swing. Four bushels were peeled and the mothers of P. T. A. now know how the soldiers feel on K. P.

### To Hold Pot Luck Dinner At Universalist Church

A pot luck dinner will be held at Adams Hall in the Universalist Church in Farmington on February 11, starting at 6:30 p.m.

The program will be "Church Relationship Seminars" telling the story of the reorganization and new life of the Farmington church as well as showing the relationship of the local church to the larger church.

Mrs. Russell Costello will be moderator for a panel, composed of Dr. Adams, Mrs. Dorothy Smith, and Lewis Church. Hostesses at the dinner will be Mrs. Arthur Jackson and Mrs. Mary Carpenter. The public is invited.

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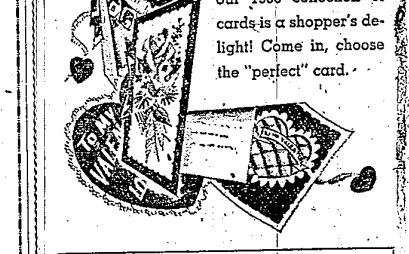
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