

Franklin Corner Stones To Be Placed By Church Nov. 27

Bordering on the unique, the Franklin Community Church will lay two corner stones this Sunday, November 27, at 12 noon. The first will be the traditional stone uttered "Franklin Community Church — 1955" and will enclose a box containing items of historical interest in the life of the church. Bert Wood, official historian of the church and life-time resident of Franklin, has assembled the materials for this stone and will explain them.

The second stone is at the Church School entrance and will read "Let the Children Come. Birthdays of the church and the contents have been made and selected by them. It is believed that such a stone is unique.

In addition to those mentioned earlier participants will include representatives of the various boards, commissions and organizations of the church, representatives of community groups and members of the firm of Reichert, Dryer and Endress who are constructing the church, and the pastor, Robert J. Searls.

The ceremony itself will be held as a continuation of the 11:00 a.m. service and if the weather is too cold most of the service will be held in the present church building. A procession of church school children, the three choirs, and members and friends of the church, will make its way to the new site two blocks west for the dedicating of the blocks in place. The public is invited to attend.

FACTS ON STATE AVAILABLE IN NEW MSU BOOK

Valuable information about the State of Michigan is available in "The Michigan Statistical Abstract," published by Michigan State University's Bureau of Business Research.

The book, a 170-page volume of information ranging from climate to financial conditions, is expected to be especially useful to those engaged in business, economic, educational and governmental activities dealing with Michigan.

Reference tables list information about ten topics: area and population; climate; vital statistics and health; employment, payrolls and public welfare; education; extractive industries; manufacturing and trade; construction and housing; communication, transportation and public utilities; and finance and banking.

Copies are available from the Bureau of Business Research, Michigan State University, East Lansing.

Bits Of News From Clarenceville Area

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I would like to take this opportunity to wish all my column readers a Happy Thanksgiving. I will be glad to accept your news items at any time — just dial GR. 4-6152.

Mrs. Minnie Diele of Hancock Street received word last week that her former neighbor and neighbor, Cheryl Ann, will join him in about a month.

The Esther - Ruth Circle of the Clarenceville Methodist Church will meet at the church on Tuesday, November 29, for a potluck luncheon and business meeting.

New residents of Albion Street are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Timie and Mrs. Ernest Meechum of Springbrook Drive.

State Begins 4-Stop Highway Safety Program

The State of Michigan has begun an all-out effort to reduce accidents on Michigan highways. A program consisting of "4 STOPS" has been outlined.

Stop one is to "Stop Violations" by enforcing traffic laws. It is proposed that this can be done by adding state troopers to the present force, by using National Guard personnel on holidays, increasing use of radar and other scientific equipment, and by adding cars to local road patrols.

Stop two is to "Stop Recklessness" by removing reckless drivers from the highways. This can be done, it is believed, by maintaining a complete history on every driver, calling in a repeat violator for retraining, and raising the standards for driver licensing.

Stop three is to "Stop Carelessness" by teaching safe driving. Carrying out this stop will be accomplished by establishing a traffic center at Michigan State University and by making driver training available to all high school students.

Stop four will be to "Stop Ignorance" by getting the facts to the public. It is felt that this can be done by enlarging the Michigan Safety Commission in order to analyze data in the Central Violation File, conducting more seminars and educational conferences for those with traffic safety responsibilities, and keep the press, radio and TV stations well supplied with useable safety material and information.

It was revealed that Michigan has the highest fatality rate of any of the large industrial states. This year it is estimated that 2,000 persons will die in Michigan, 5,000 will be permanently disabled, 60,000 will be injured and 200,000 drivers will be involved in accidents.

It seems that under common law centuries back a legal name has consisted of one Christian or given name and one surname or family name. The law presumes that every person has a given name, and a surname which must be stated in full on any legal document.

The law pays little attention to the middle name or initial, but it is wiser to use one and the other for exact identification. But you must be consistent. For example, a man by the name of Jim Jones was advised to sign all papers by his full name, "James Aloysius Jones, Jr." to make it clear which of the James Joneses was buying a certain piece of property.

While the law doesn't consider "Jr." or "Sr." a significant part of a name, use of such descriptive titles helps distinguish the individual.

As for "Mr." in front of a name, it is not important at all. The same goes for "Mrs.," because it is the wife's own given name that counts.

When a woman marries, she takes her husband's family name. Her maiden surname is absolutely lost. Many women incorrectly use their husband's full name, and sign "Mrs. James A. Jones," for example. The correct way is for her to sign her own given name, and her husband's surname as Joan Marie Jones.

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Nearest American name in the Antarctic regions is "Alba Bay," so named by the crew of the U. S. Navy ice breaker on her 1954-55 reconnaissance trip to Antarctica.

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Local Soldier In Army Maneuvers

Specialist Third Class David J. Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson of 2635 Power Road, is assigned to the aggressor force in the massive Army - Air Force joint maneuvers near Fort Polk, Louisiana.

Robertson, whose wife, Lillian, lives at 11409 Patton Avenue in Detroit, is one of nearly 110,000 troops in the maneuver testing the latest concepts of atomic, bacteriological, chemical and electronic warfare.

The aggressor force furnishes opposition to the regular maneuver troops in simulated battles. Robertson's permanent duty station is at Fort Hood, Texas, where he is mail clerk in Company A of the 4th Armored Division's 56th Tank Battalion. He entered the Army in October of 1953 following graduation from Cleary Business College in Ypsilanti.

A British explorer, Captain James Cook, was first to sight the ice mass surrounding Antarctica, during a circumnavigating trip in 1770.

A common prejudice should not be found in one whose trade it is to rectify error.

Walt Whitman Collection To Be Displayed At Farmington High School

Noted Walt Whitman authority Charles E. Feinberg will bring his famed Whitman Collection to Farmington for display starting the week of November 28. The collection will be on public display in the library of the Farmington Senior High School on Shilwasse.

On Tuesday evening, November 29, Mr. Feinberg will speak to Friends of the Library and other interested persons of the community at the library. Following the talk, refreshments will be served.

Feinberg has been gathering material for his Whitman Collection for over 30 years and has exhibited them throughout the United States and in Puerto Rico and Cuba.

Because of its popularity, Mr. Feinberg has had approximately 20 facsimiles made of the originals, which are museum pieces, and they are in constant demand. He prefers to hold but one exhibit a month, allowing time for necessary repairs and revisions. However, this month he has three exhibits in current showing. The facsimile collections have made possible the wide circulation of the interesting and valuable documents convenient and safe. They

afford wide study by groups since they can remain in one location for a comparatively long period of time. Farmington will have them for the entire week of November 28.

Aside from his hobby, Mr. Feinberg is one of the originators of the Friends of the Library and a member of the First State Board of Directors of the organization, as was Wendell Brown, a present director of the Farmington group.

Mr. Feinberg is not only a remarkably brilliant man of letters, but a very entertaining speaker, and extremely generous with his time. The Friends of the Library group is honored to have the privilege of bringing Mr. Feinberg and his collection to this community.

Most of the major inland areas of the Antarctic continent are named for females, while most mountain ranges and peaks, glaciers, bays and islands are named for males.

Nearly all of the aspirin made in the United States comes from Michigan companies.

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MSU - Distributes 2,443 White Pines In State

Michigan State University this year distributed 2,443 white pines, the state's official tree, to schools, cities, clubs and other public organizations. Occasion was the University's centennial year.

Dr. P. A. Herbert, director of the institution's conservation division, selected the tree because it was the state's most important source of lumber in Michigan's early history. Last spring, the legislature designated the white pine as the state's official tree.

The white pines were purchased by the institution for ornamental use and were distributed by the conservation nursery under the direction of W. Ira Bull.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

Man's need for spiritual alertness will be emphasized in the Lesson-Sermon "Ancient and Modern Neocromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" at Christian Science services Sunday. Selections from the Bible will include passages from the Sermon on the Mount (Matt. 7:15,16). Passages will also be read from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy.

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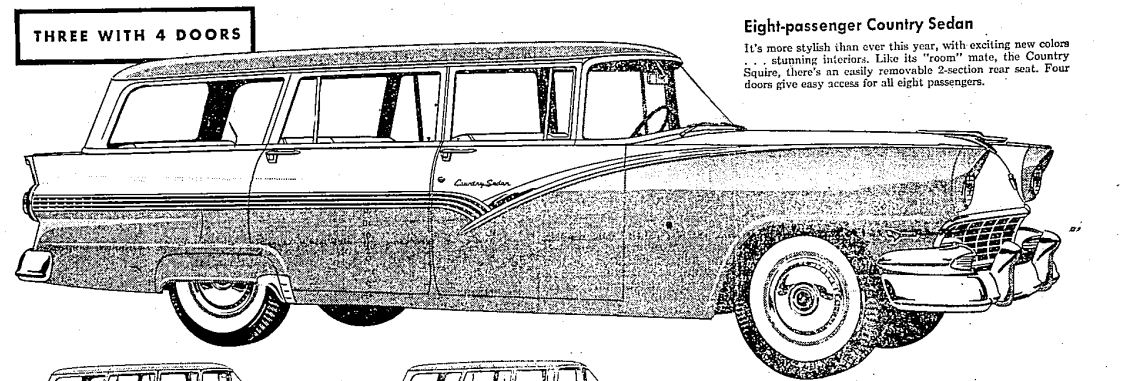
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Three-passenger Country Sedan

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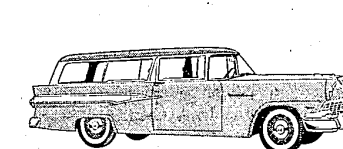
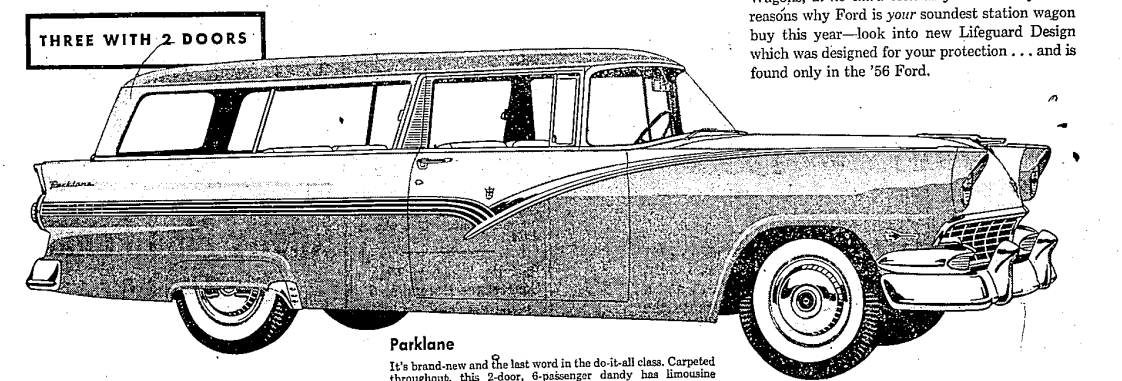
COUNTRY SQUIRE

A queen among all station wagons. Mahogany-finished steel panels with wood-grained, glass-fibre moldings give woodlike beauty to this 5-passenger double-duty dreamboat.

Eight-passenger Country Sedan

It's more stylish than ever this year, with exciting new colors . . . stunning interiors. Like its "room" mate, the Country Squire, there's an easily removable 2-section rear seat. Four doors give easy access for all eight passengers.

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THREE WITH 2 DOORS

Ranch Wagon

This all-around favorite for work or play has two wide doors, easily seats 6 people. As in all Ford Station Wagons, lift gate and tail gate can be operated easily with one hand.

Parklane

It's brand-new and the last word in the do-it-all class. Carpeted throughout, this 2-door, 6-passenger dandy has limousine comfort and doesn't mind rolling up its sleeves.

Custom Ranch Wagon

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