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# The Trojan Banner

## Senior Class Gets New Class Sponsor

Due to the fact that their former class sponsor, Mrs. Sturm, has left for Ohio, the seniors will have a new class sponsor, Mrs. Mann. Previously, Mrs. Mann had been the sophomore sponsor.

The seniors gave a party for Mrs. Sturm on October 12. The faculty and senior class attended. Donald Johnson, the president of the class, presented Mrs. Sturm with a watch from the senior class.

If you see groups of seniors wandering around the halls loaded down with Christmas boxes, don't be shocked. They are selling various Christmas articles that you will be able to buy and save your selves the trouble of the annual Christmas rush. As a specialty for children, they have a Christmas story book.

## Trojan Reserves Lose To Northville 8 - 6

The Clarencville Reserve football squad lost its third straight game to the Northville reserves last week by a score of 8 to 6. There was no score in the game until midway in the third period, when a Clarencville back was trapped in the end zone and Northville took the lead 2 to 0.

No more scores came until early in the fourth quarter, when Northville scored on a spinner. The try for the extra point was no good. Clarencville took the kickoff and marched up the field to the Northville five yard line, where they were stopped and Northville failed, to make a gain in three downs and had to kick.

It was a high kick that carried to the 30 yard line. Bill Meyers took it and punted his way up the field to a touchdown. The try for point, again failed, and the score stood 8 to 5.

CLASSIFIEDS MUST BE GOOD—SO MANY PEOPLE USE THEM!

## EDITORIAL

The Goblins are howling, the ghosts are knocking, everyone is in school. But when it comes to school spirit at our football games, WE STINK! The girls are so busy eating potato chips, candy bars, and drinking pop that they don't have time for a school yell. And then we have the cute young thing who always cheers for the wrong side and for a final example we have the timid freshman boy who speaks out of turn on the locomotive yell.

But still there is no reason that our team doesn't have more support on the field and in the school. We just don't have the pep! And at some of the games we're actually dead-beats.

Of course, we will admit that there is a group of about 25 fans who use their lungs for more than something to tell about last night's date. But something must be done about school spirit, when two boys having a fight in the middle of the bleachers get more of a crowd, ring them on than our football team does out on the field.

What's wrong with our crowd? Why don't we have the spirit that we need to have? If you don't know the yells you should have kept the yell sheets that the cheerleaders handed out. There is no excuse for dead school spirit.

At our next game, let's come out and yell for the team! They need your support more than your neighbor does! Let's make our school spirit something to be proud of. We want to see you at the next game yelling for your team and your school.

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## An Interview With A Teacher

Miss Norma B. Cooke has been chosen as our teacher of the week. She is 22 years old, stands 5' 4 1/2", weighs 125, has brown hair, grey eyes, and real deep dimples.

She is a 1950 graduate of Michigan State College and she has a major in English and minors in Journalism and History.

Although this is Miss Cooke's first year of teaching, she has already been given many responsibilities, including sponsorship of the senior class, and advisor of the yearbook and the newspaper, Kappa Kriar.

Miss Cooke's favorite sports are sailing, swimming and tennis. Her favorite song is "It's Magic", her favorite color is red, and her favorite flower is the orchid.

Her "Pet Peave" is people who eat popcorn at the movies. She claims her bad habit is stealing dogs.

Classified Ads Bring Results

## Sincerely Yours:

Letters submitted to the Editor for publication must be signed. Opinions expressed in this column are those of the writer and do not necessarily represent the policies of this newspaper.

To the Editor:

I spoke last week, as a member of the Southeast Farmington Civic Association, to Frank Gossett, president of the Farmington Township Civic Association, Inc. I would like to repeat my question publicly in order that all members of that association might participate in the answer.

The question asked was: "What is the Farmington Township Civic Association, Inc., doing about the building code which they wanted improved?" Since they stated emphatically last spring that they were condemning the building code only because of its flaws, it is only natural to suppose that they now are doing something to repair it. Mr. Gossett's reply was that the members of his association did feel that a building code was of extreme importance and definitely needed at this time. He stated that he had approached his members with the necessity of working on the problem but their indifference was pronounced. "It's too early yet to

start again," was their comment. In our minds it is not a question of starting again. It is a question of finishing the job started by others. Statements made by certain members of that organization throughout the township last spring made certain that they could have done a better job of drafting the ordinance. Now let us see them do it.

Like an island, our township is surrounded by townships that have building codes and zoning laws. Because of our leniency, naturally we are "open hunting ground" and the results of this fact become more evident each month. Is this going to be a place to live and raise our children that we can be proud of? Or will we sometime be ashamed to

admit that we live in Farmington Township?

The Southeast Farmington Civic Association was ready to start all over again when the building code was defeated last spring. We are ready to give our aid in any way. Now it is your turn and our eyes are on you!

Mrs. Dean Eckert

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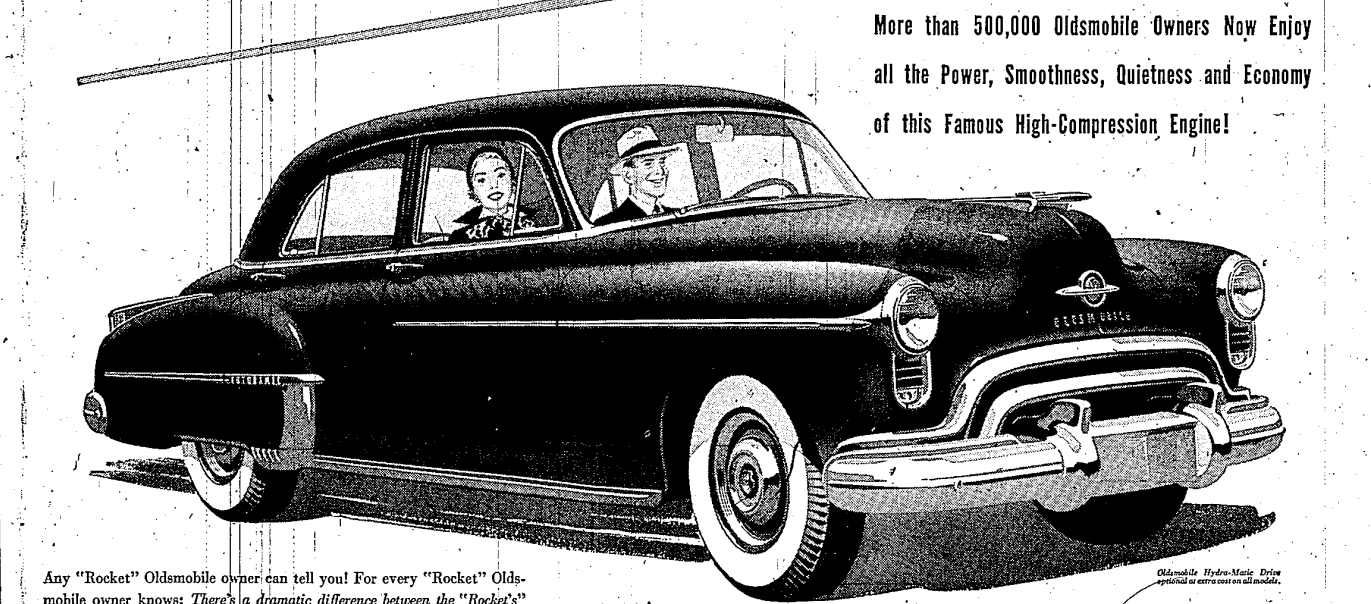
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