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Nixon Newspapers Inc. offers \$2000 in journalism scholarships

Nixon Newspapers, Inc., will grant four \$500 journalism scholarships for the 1975-76 academic year. Persons living in the circulation area of this newspaper are eligible to apply for grants.

Scholarship applications are available in the CITIZEN office. Feb. 15 is the date by which scholarship applications must be in the hands of the scholarship committee. The address to which they must be sent is on the application form.

Scholarships may be applied to any accredited college, university junior college or technical school.

The following factors will be considered in granting scholarships, in order of importance:

1. A willingness to work for two years at regular pay scales for an NNI newspaper following graduation.

2. Financial need.

3. Being the dependent of an NNI employee. 4. Academic and journalistic talents and abilities.

The Nixon Newspaper scholarship program will provide financial assistance to qualified students from within the circulation areas of Nixon Newspapers who seek post-high school education in journalism on a fulltime basis.

Scholarships may be renewed; but recipients must apply annually.

Scholarship funds will be paid to the recipients' schools to be applied to tuition or fees.

High school seniors planning to study journalism are eligible to apply for the scholarships.

The names of the recipients of the grants will be announced about April 1.

Nixon Newspapers are the Culver Citizen. Michigan City News-Dispatch, Peru Tribune. Wabash Plain Dealer. Frankfort Times, Brazil Times, Pulaski County Journal, Swavzee Press and North Judson News in Indiana, and the Hammond (La.) Star.



A PORTRAIT of Russell Oliver, deceased director of athletics and coach at CMA for 36 years was presented to the Academy by the Culver Legion, the alumni group of the school Saturday. The presentation was part of the annual alumni-student basketball game, this year dedicated to Oliver. Taking part in the ceremony were John Brooke, Lake Forest, II., president of the Legion; Mrs. Myra Oliver, wife of the late Oliver and Bruce Oliver, Fort Wayne, son of Mr. Oliver. The color portrait will hang in the McMillan Hall of Fame, currently under renovation on the CMA campus.



CMA's Lancers perform in Texan rodeo

The Lancer Platoon, precision honor organization of Culver Military Academy's famed Black Horse Troop, will be the featured attraction at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show/Rodeo in Fort Worth Jan. 24-26 in Will Rogers Coliseum.

Culver's Lancers will be one of the leading units in the street parade opening the 79th annual event and will perform six exhibitions during the first three days of the Stock Show.

Established in 1912, the popular exhibition team specializes in a fast-paced "musical ride," performing intricate maneuvers at the trot and gallop to musical accompaniment.

Culver's colorful troop of cavalry, the largest remaining mounted military organization in the US, has appeared in seven Presidential inaugural parades and is known as "the escort to Presidents." The Troopers appeared as personal escort to Vice President Thomas R. Marshall, a native Hoosier, in 1913 and 1917, and they have ridden in the last five inaugural parades.

Tickets on sale for bi-county

Tickets are now on sale at the Culver Community High School office for the Bi-County basketball tournament.

The varsity tournament and the final B-team game will take place this year at LaVille high school. Jan. 22, 23, 24 and 25 are the scheduled dates for varsity

Eagles honor local citizens

Saturday, evening, Jan. 18, the Culver Eagles and families will inaugurate the first celebration of Home and Family Month.

Home and Family Month is a time for looking into our homes and the community for the special things that make them good. This year the Culver Eagles have chosen six members of the community and one community group to receive special recognition. Voting took place at the last regular meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary. The list was a long time n compilation and hopefully this will become a yearly project to honor worthy people in the community. Names will be released after Saturday's festivities.

The celebration will begin at 6 p.m. with all members and their families invited. Persons attending are asked to bring table. service and one or more dishes to add to the food table.

Following the dinner, the awards will be presented and there will be entertainment. Immediately following the awards presentation there will be an evening of dancing to the music of the "Flora Combo,"

competition and Jan. 20, 21 and 25 for B-team play.

Teams participating in the tournament are Culver, Culver Military Academy, Argos, Bremen, John Glenn, LaVille, New Prairie and North Liberty. They represent Marshall and St. Joseph counties.

Pairings have not yet been determined for the varsity tournament, as the drawing will take place Jan. 18 at 9 a.m. EST at Plymouth's WTCA radio. Results of the drawing can be heard on WTCA at that time.

The B-team drawings took place Dec. 18 with the following results:

At North Liberty High School - LaVille vs. New Prairie Jan. 20 at 6:30 p.m. and North Liberty vs. John Gienn Jan, 20 at 7:45 p.m. Winners of these two matches will play Tuesday, Jan, 21, at 7 p.m. at North Liberty, the finalist facing the Marshall County Division winner.

At Argos High School -Argos vs. Bremen Jan. 20 at 6:30 p.m.; Culver vs. CMA Jan. 20 at 7:45 p.m. Winners of these games will compete Tuesday, Jan. 21, at 7 p.m. at Argos High School and the winner will face the St. Joseph County Division winner Saturday, Jan. 25, at 6:30 p.m.

The varsity tournament will be at the LaVille gym and will follow a regular 4-way tourney type set

Donald French, CCHS principal, said the entire series of tickets must be purchased, as single game admission will not be sold. Cost of the ticket packet, admitting the holder to all games, is \$4.

Letters

EDITOR:

Concerning the article in the Culver CITIZEN in a November We, the Cavalettes, issue. (pom-pom girls) were really disappointed when we read the "Lake Water" article. We do not have Saturday morning practice, and we would never stoop so low as to push elderly people and chiluren off the sidewalks. Could you please check your facts before attempting to write an article about is again?.

High School Cavalettes

EDITOR:

Few people of our community fully realize and appreciate the extra high caliber of professional servants within the high school of the Culver Community Schools, in this issue of our school's newsletter, it is my intent to acquaint the reader in more detail with some examples of the after school hour services rendered by some of our fine school personnel.

Because of the local publicity received, many know that Mr. Latham Lawson has been selected as representative of the local **Bicentennial Committee from the** Culver area. As a spin off to that office, Mr. Lawson will serve for the next two years as chairman of the Culver-Union Township Bicentennial Committee.

In addition to that particular responsibility, Mr. Lawson is

serving as chairman of the North Central Division of the Indiana State Teacher's Association. The area encompassed by the North Central Division is roughly the school districts embracing the city of South Bend.

Another CCHS faculty member who works in professional circles far beyond the confines of our local school district is Miss Ruth Shanks, guidance counselor at Culver. Miss Shanks has been a member of the State Board of Directors of the Indiana Sunshine Society since 1949. She has been assigned on an annual basis since that time to direct the State Leadership Training Camp for Sunshine Officers of local chapters from the entire state. This session is usually four to six days in length and involves representatives from 80 to 100 Indiana high schools.

The State Sunshine Board of Directors consists of 10 women representing the entire state of Indiana. These women are teachers in the public high schools and sponsor Sunshine Society groups in their individual high schools. They direct the activities of about 150 high schools; supervise the selection of 16 high school seniors who receive \$500 Nurses' Scholarships each year, supervise a State Convention for about 2500 girls each spring, spend time helping plan six district conventions in the fall and set guide lines for Riley Fund contributions from member

scnools to pay for the nurses' scholarships and the annual contribution to the Riley Hospital for children.

Peg Graham, editor

Member, Hoosier State Press Association

Another CCHS faculty member who devotes considerable time and effort to the profession at large is Mrs. Barbara Winters who is currently in her seventh year affiliated with the student teacher program at Purdue University. As a cooperating teacher, Mrs. Winters is assigned student teachers from the University each year. Thirteen vocational home economics teachers have had student teaching in the Culver Community High School under Mrs. Winters' excellent supervision. Mrs. Winters is also a member of the Consumer and Homemaking Educational Advisory Committee. this committee has been instrumental in putting emphasis on consumer education in the high school curriculum. Mrs. Winters represents northwestern Indiana rural schools on the committee.

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Mrs. Marilyn Coby is another teacher active in student organizations on a state wide basis. She is on the Sponsors' Council Coordinating Board for Future Educators. Mrs. Coby has been selected to serve on the North Central Association's Evaluation Committee to visit the Danville High School this coming spring on an intensive school evaluation program. The purpose of the evaluation is to determine that school's accreditation status. Last year, our CCHS Assistant Principal, John Nelson, participated in a similar project with West Central High School.

In closing, mention should be made of our superintendent's work as chairman of the JESSE (Joint Educational Services in Special Education). This five

county organization consists of school communities joined together to provide educational opportunities for our physically and mentally handicapped boys and girls. Superintendent A.F. Allen served as the chairman of the large and complex JESSE organization during the 1973-74 school year demanding many hours of additional work beyond his regular responsibilities.

We're sure that there are many additional hours due our high school faculty but those mentioned are a sampling of the kinds of "above and beyond" responsibilities our CCHS faculty engage in toward not only raising their own professional standards but education in general for boys and girls everywhere,

Donald R. French CCHS Principal

Church Directory

OBITUARIES

WILLIAM L. DECKER

William L. Decker, 77, formerly of Monterey, died Wednesday, Jan. 8, at 2:25 p.m. in Healthwin Hospital in South Bend following an extended illness.

Decker was born Aug. 30, 1897 in Delong to John and Mary (Hoesel) Decker. He had lived in Montery until going to South Bend in 1967 to reside with his

He married Ernestine M. Rock Sept. 2, 1920 in Monterey. She preceeded Decker in death Feb. 22, 1960.

He was a member of St. Anne's Catholic Church, Winamac Council No. 1561 and Knights of Columbus Lodge.

Decker is survived by two sons, James E. Decker, South Bend and Robert W. Decker, Indianapolis; five daughters, Mrs. Rita Gottlick. Mrs. Bernard (Mary) Bauer and Mrs. Edward (JoAnn) Heilman, all of South Bend, Mrs. John (Carol) Kowatch, Monterey and Mrs. Richard (Judi) Minnier, Muncie: two sisters, Mrs. Charles (Stella) Wentzel, Culver and Mrs. Adeline Homant, Reno, Nev.: 27 grandchildren and 20 great grandchildren.

The Rosary was recited at 8 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 9, at the Bonine Funeral Home in Culver.

Services were conducted Friday, Jan. 10 at St. Anne's Catholic Church, Monterey, at 10 a.m. with Father John Mannion officiating. Burial was in St. Anne's Cemetery.

HOMER W. ALBERT

Homer W. Albert, R.R. 2 West 14th Rd. Culver, died at 1:45 p.m. after an extended illness Monday. Jan. 13, at his residence. He was 83 years old.

He was the eldest of six children, born to Martin and Estella (Behmer) Albert in Hibbard March 29, 1891.

Albert was a lifetime resident of this area and had been a farmer and general store operator. He had also worked at Culver Military Academy for 39 years as a tent and sail maker.

Jan. 4, 1942 he married Ethel Colvin. He was a member of the Maxinkuckee IOOF Lodge and the Marshall County Farm Bureau.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Wayne (Mildred) Nelson and Mrs. Elden (Mary Jane) Holland, both of Plymouth and Mrs. Jerald (Verda) Stevens, DesPlaines, Ill; one son, Robert C. Albert, at home; one stepson, James F. Colvin, Westville; 12 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Services will be conducted Thursday, Jan. 16, at 11 a.m. at the Bonine Funeral Home. Culver. Rev. Maurice Kessler of the Emmanuel United Methodist Church will officiate.

Burial will be at McElrath Cemetery located southwest of Plymouth.

Friends may call at the Bonine Funeral Home after 2 p.m. Wednesday.

CULVER BIBLE CHURCH Rev. Edward Clark, Pastor

Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:45 a.m., Young People's Service 6:15 p.m., Evening Worship 7.00 p.m., Wednesday Night Prayer Meeting and Bible Study 7.30 p.m., Thursday Night Home Bible Study 7:30 p.m

UNION CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN At the corner of State Road 17 and 10B Road. Bert Cramer, Superintendent, Shared Pastorate: Bruce Weaver, Wesley Brubaker, Larry Banks. Sunday Church School 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m.

BURR OAK CHURCH OF GOD

Darrell G. Maddock, Pastor, Mrs. John Drang, Sunday School Superintendent Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning

Worship 10:30 a.m., Senior Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m., Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30 p.m., Evening Worship 7:30 p.m., Wednesday 'Hour of 7:30 p.m., Wednesday Power'' Service 7:30 p.m.

ZION GOSPEL CHAPEL

Steven Bradley, Pastor, Marion Kline, Sunday School Superintendent, William Sheridan, Assistant Superintendent.

Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Morning Worship 10:45 a.m., Evening Service 7.30 p.m., Mid-Week Service on Thursday at 7:30 p.m.

CULVER MILITARY ACADEMY MEMORIAL CHAPEL

Worship Service 11:00 a.m., Visitors are always welcome

GRACE UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST Rev. John Krueger, Pastor

Church School Classes 9:15 a.m., Worship Service 10:30 a m

EMMANUEL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Maurice Kessler, Pastor. Worship Service 9:30 a.m., Church School 10:35 a.m. Wednesday: Midweek Service 7:00 p.m., Choir Rehearsal 8:00 p.m.

WESLEY UNITED METHODIST On the corner of School and Lewis Streets. Rev. Earl W. Sharp, Minister, Church School 9:30 a.m., Worship Service 10:40 a.m.

SAINT MARY'S OF THE LAKE CATHOLIC CHURCH

"The Church With The Gold Crosses" Rev. Joseph A. Lenk, Pastor. Saturday Mass 5:30 p.m., Sunday Mass 11:00 a.m., Religious Instruction

for Young Adults 9:30 to 10:30 a.m. Sunday, Confessions before Mass. TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

Located at 330 Academy Road, Culver Rev Roger L. Sommer, Pastor. Sunday Worship 9:00 a.m., Sunday School and Bible Class 10:15 a.m., Women's Guild on First Mondays 8:00 and Alternate Thursdays p.m. an 7:30 p.m.

GILEAD UNITED METHODIST

Alva C. Ward, Pastor, Cecil Charters, Superintendent of Studies. Sunday school every Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Worship every first and third Sundays at 11:00 a.m.

LEITERS FORD METHODIST Leon Welling, Sunday School Super-

intendent Church School 10:00 a.m., Worship Service 11:00 a.m., M.Y.F. on Second and Fourth Sundays.

LEITERS FORD CIRCUIT Rev. Phillip Lutz, Pastor

MONTEREY METHODIST

Worship Service 9:10 a.m., Church School 10:15 a.m.

MOUNT HOPE UNITED METHODIST Alva C. Ward, Pastor, Eldon Davis, Superintendent of Studies. Sunday school every Sunday morning at 10:00 a.m. Worship on the second and fourth Sundays at 11:00 a.m.

SANTA ANNA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Roscoe Pheneger, Pastor. Phillip Peer, Superintendent. Church School 10:00 a.m., Worship Service 11:00 a.m. every First and Third Sunday.

POPLAR GROVE UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Roscoe Pheneger, Pastor, Ellis Clifton, Superintendent, Worship Ser-vice 9:30 a.m., Church School 10:30 a.m.

MONTEREY SAINT ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday Masses 7:30 and 9:30 a.m. Weekday Masses 8:00 a.m. Monday Tuesday and Thursday, 7:30 p.m. o Wednesday and Friday. Saturda Masses 8:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Hol Days of Obligation 7:30 a.m. and 7:3 p.m. Confessions after Wednesday an Friday evening Mass, and Saturda from 4:00 to 5:00 p.m.

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G. Greer, Pastor. Sunday Services, Holy Communi 7:30 a.m., Family Eucharist 9:30 a.m. Parish Nursery 9:30 a.m.

PRETTY LAKE TRINITY UNITED METHODIST

Rev. Richard Lewke, Pastor Morning Worship 9:30 a.m., Sund School 10:20 a.m.

RICHLAND CENTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Terry Shumaker, Pastor, Robe Nellans, Lay Leader, Howa Conrad, Superintendent. Telephor Rochester 223-3751.

Worship Service 9:30 a.m. on Secor and Fourth Sundays, 10:30 a.m. (First and Third Sundays, Church Scho at alternating times

BURTON UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Terry Shumaker, Pastor, Jot Cessna, Lay Leader, Margaret Belche Superintendent. Telephone Rochest 223-3751

Worship Service 9:30 a.m. on Fir and Third Sundays, 10:30 a.m. (Second and Fourth Sundays, Churc School at alternating times. Methodi Youth Fellowship 5:30 p.m. Sunday

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Paul Broeker

14 CCHS students will graduate this month

Fourteen January graduates at Culver Community High School were honored at a reception yesterday.

Besides the graduates, CCHS principal Donald French, senior class sponsors and guidance counselors attended the reception.

The first graduates of 1975 are: Mary Basile, Paul Broeker, Kathy Clifton, Greg Davis, Clara Hart and Connie Humes.

Also, Neala Hyndman, Debbie Lewis, Rick Perrin, Nettie Salary, Randy Sellers, Cindy Showley, Roy Stone, Candy Thompson and Jo Ella Taylor.

Arrangements were made for these students to take final examinations early so that they could have all necessary obligations completed before the reception. They may participate in May commencement exercises also.

Clifton and Lewis have been accepted for the spring semester by Indiana University in Bloomington.



Kathi Clifton

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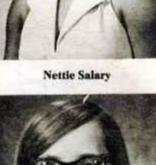
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BY JOHN HOUGHTON the Ice Age

What is it that was harvested from fields, but never planted? Was found only in winter, but used mostly in summer? Was stored at Culver, but used across the country?

Well, I'm not very good at asking riddles, because I always tell the answer right away. In this case, it's "ice."

Last September, before I left for school, I talked to Bill Easterday, Bess Easterday and Sam Medbourn about the ice business in Culver. This article is a summary of what they told me.

The ice trade had its modest beginning when a man named Holt built an ice house (that is, a place to store ice after it had been harvested) on the west shore of the lake, north of the outlet. The Easterdays' father helped in this construction project by digging out the site with a horse-drawn scraper (this was a thing like the shovel of a bulldozer, attached to some rigging so that the horse could pull it across the ground, scraping up dirt as it went).

The manager of Holt's ice house was Samuel E. Medbourn, and it was he who developed the ice business into a successful industry. But before I can tell you what Medbourn did, I should describe the way in which the ice was harvested.

The source of the ice, as may or may not be obvious, was the lake, which each year conveniently produces a new crop of the chilly stuff. When the ice was thick enough to support the men and horses involved (at least nine inches) the harvesting could begin.

A channel about two feet wide was cut in the ice, working out from a point on the shore closest to the ice house. This channel increased to three or four times its original width after it was a few yards long; farther out still, the channel was widened again. At this point, the first field was cut. Each additional field was cut away from one edge of an earlier field.

The ice to be cut was first

scored by an ice plow, a set of spikes a little bit like a harrow, which left grooves about a foot and a half apart behind them as they were pulled across the ice by a horse. The plows were taken back and forth in the same grooves until the ice was more than half cut through. This scoring was done in perpindicular directions, so that a checker board pattern was made, with each square one and a half feet on a side. Each of these squares would become a one hundred and twenty pound block of ice.

Every now and then, one of the horses used is this operation fell into the lake, but to the best of Medbourn's recollection, none of them drowned. To save a horse from drowning, it turns out, you throw a noose around its neck and tighten the noose until the animal stops struggling. You can then use ropes and planks to pull the unconscious horse out of the water, being careful, of course, not to choke the beast for any longer than is absolutely necessary.

After a considerable area of ice (called a field) had been scored, large pieces (containing as many squares as could be managed at once) were broken loose along the scored lines with saws and pike-poles.

These large chunks were then pushed up the channel towards the shore; men standing on planks put over the channel like bridges at each of the narrowing points, used pike-poles again to break the ice into sets of squares small enought to fit into the next part of the channel. The last of these men produced pieces one square wide and several squares long, which were shoved on in to shore.

This is where Samuel E. Medbourn's great contribution was made. Holt's ice house was cut off from the lake by the railroad tracks (as any building between the outlet and Jefferson St. would be). This meant that the ice had to be carried over the tracks.

In Holt's system, the ice was broken into blocks at the water's edge, and there loaded on a



conveyor belt which carried it over the railroad to the ice house, This meant that work had to be halted and the tracks cleared of fallen ice every time a train was due.

Now at that time, a drainage ditch ran down Madison St. through what was then a swamp behind the present sites of the Park and Shop parking lot and the Farm Bureau Co-op. It continued under the railroad tracks and down to the lakeshore.

Medbourn realized that no efficient harvesting could be done as long as the work had to stop for trains, and he saw that this opening under the railroad was just what he needed. He bought up the swamp, built an ice house on it and used the ditch (along with his natural talent for business) to such advantage that he was soon able to buy out the competition and become the proprietor of both of Culver's ice houses.After the Medbourn Ice Company became a prosperous enterprise, cement channels were built to lead from the house. under the railroad, to the lake at each of the sites, and these channels can still be seen today.

In the Medbourn system (and hereafter I'll be talking about the ice house in the swamp unless I say otherwise) the ice was brought into the cement channel where it was broken into blocks 18 inches square and nine inches thick. These blocks were then pushed on the conveyor.

This conveyor was a 1200 foot-long belt of iron links with oak four-by-fours fastened across it at regular intervals. It weighed several tons, and ran from the channel directly past the front of the ice house to a separate building containing the steam engine which powered it. From the engine building it returned to the channel.

The ice house itself was just four walls divided by partitions into eight rooms, each 120 feet long and 80 feet wide. The front of each room had openings at several levels from top to bottom. Each of the walls and partitions had 18 inches of sawdust for insulation. There was neither a roof nor a floor. The first layer of ice lay on the ground, the top layer was covered with marsh hay, yet only the outside four or five inches of each of these layers melted during storage.

When the house was being filled, a man (called a "puller") stood in front of the lowest door into each room. His job was to use a pike-pole to pull ice from the conveyor belt onto a slide which led into his room. When the lowest level in all of the rooms had been filled, the belt was lifted so that it would pass in front of the second level doors, and the process began again.

Since there were eight pullers, the first mas was expected to pull in every ninth block, the second man every eighth, and so on. This meant that, in theory, only one block out of every eight would stay on the conveyor long enough to get to the last man in line. In practice, however, things didn't always work out so well, and the (The ones he missed fell on the ground.)

The Medbourns only found one man who could do this job with real skill. That man was Buster French. Legend says that French was a little over-fond of liquor, but that when he was sober, he was the best worker in the business. Sometimes the other pullers would each let a block or two go by, just to see what Bus would do. They say Buster swore a blue streak when this happened, but he never missed a block of ice.

All of this work was done in the three or four weeks of the dead of winter. In a good year, as many as 300 of the neighboring farmers (who had little else to do at thaat time of year) would be employed. If the weather stayed clear and cold, it was possible to take two or three crops of ice out of one field. (These later crops, having frozen more uniformly, were often almost perfectly clear.)

Medbourn estimates that the two houses together held nearly half a million tons of ice. Some of this was sold in Culver, some from the Medbourn Ice Company's retail outlets in South Bend, Mishawaka and Logansport. The remainder was sent out by the railroad to other cities in Indiana and even to other states, especially those in the south.

Culver's ice age ended in 1934 when the Medbourn Company closed up. One of the ice houses was blown down, they say, in a windstorm; the other was used (or so I'm told) for the storage of vegetables, and burned down one year when it was full of onions...I'm not sure whether or not that's true, but it's a nice





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RAINBOW GIRLS ELECT

At a regular meeting of Culver Assembly, Order of Rainbow for Girls, officers were elected for the February-May term.

Martha Davis is worthy advisor; Kelly Middleton, associate worthy advisor; Gwen Burns, chairty; Brenda Shaffer, hope and Cathy Grover, faith.

Elected for a one-year term were Judy Kemple and Juile Osborn to fill the stations of recorder and treasurer, respectively.

Susan Middleton, worthy advisor, presided and announced that Rainbow church will be at Grace United Church of Christ Jan. 19.

There will be an initation Monday, Jan. 27 at 7 p.m. in the Masonic Temple. The worthy advisor elect announced installation of officers will take place at an open meeting in the temple Saturday. Feb. 1 at 7 p.m.

A special guest seated in the East was Irvin Overmyer, worshipful master of the HH Culver Lodge, F & AM.

4-H CLUB MEETS JAN. 20

The Merry Workers 4-H club will meet on Jan. 20 after school at the Lions Building. This year's officers are: president. Albert Jolly; vice-president. David Taiclet; secretary, Valerie Bauer; treasurer, Cecil Jolly; reporter, Janet Winters; song leaders. Kimberly Keller and Barbara Taiclet; health and saftey leaders. Rebecca Peters and Susan Keller and recreational leaders, Vernon Peterson and Danny Taiclet.

The adult leader is Evelyn Jolly.

Membership totals 30 at the present time for the local 4-H club.

MUSIC AND ART GROUP MEETS

Culver City Music and Art Group will meet Thursday, Jan. 16, at the Grace United Church of Christ.

The program will consist of a slide presentation of Williamsburg, Va.

Hostesses for the meeting are Sadie Hoesel, Lilliam Haney and Verda Graham.

BANKING BOARD ELECTS LOCAL MAN

The South Bend Chapter of American Institute of Banking has elected Jack Kaldenich, cashier of The State Exchange Bank, Culver, and Tom Fugate, vice president of the Farmers State Bank, to its Board of Directors. Together they bring a total of 21 years experience in the field of banking.

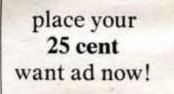
THOMPSON GRADUATES

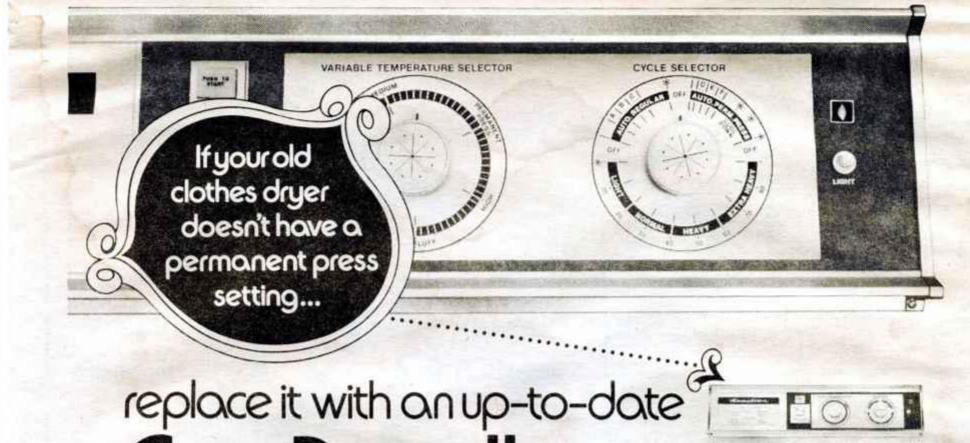
Kaye Thompson of Argos has graduated from the six-month secretarial program of International Junior College.

She is a 1974 graduate of Argos Community High School where she was editor of the yearbook. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale V. Thompson, Argos.

RIGHT TO LIFE MEETING

Marshall County Right to Life Committee will meet at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 16, at The State Exchange Bank in Plymouth. Visitors are welcome.







Now with practically all your washables permanent press, doesn't it make sense to have a dryer that's *made* for these fabrics? Manufacturers of "no iron" clothing say they should be gently tumble dried for best results. New gas dryers have the exact heat and timing controls necessary for this kind of gentle drying. You can save hours of tedious drying... save energy, too. Many articles of clothing come out of the dryer ready for the hanger or folding. Others may need just a little "touch up." A new gas dryer can be a real work-saver for you.

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New admissions deans at CMA

Col. Ben A. Barone, super-Culver intendent of the Academies, has appointed John S. Shields as dean of admissions and Peter C. Salvador as assistant dean of admissions.

Shields, who has been director of development at Ancilla College since 1971, was an assistant professor and coach at Purdue University from 1967-71 and a teacher and coach in Hammond public schools from 1962-67.

He received his bachelor of science degree in 1962 and his master of arts in 1964, both from Bali State University. Shields. attended public schools in Hammond, graduating from George Rogers Clark High.

During his career. Shields has been a candidate from the President's White House Fellow Program, a management consultant, a public relations representative for a large public utility and owner-manager of the Shields Advertising Agency.

The dean and his wife, Diane, reside in Culver and have two children.

Salvador came to Culver as assistant director of development in 1972, having received his bachelor's degree from the University of Illinois in 1971. A 1962 graduate of Culver Military Academy, he served four years in the Air Force at the Technical Training Center of Kessler Air Force Base in Mississippi.

While attending and immediately following college. Salvador worked as a legal assistant for the firm of Mayer. Brown and Platt in Illinois.

A native of Oak Park, Ill., Salvador and his wife, Pat, reside in Culver and have one child.

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John S. Shields



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Change in place of residence or work calls for new WH-4 form

Indiana taxpayers whose county of residence and/or county of principle work activity has changed since Jan. 1, 1974, are reminded to notify their employers of such change by completing another WH-4, withholding authorization form.

Donald H. Clark, commissioner of the Indiana Department of Revenue, reminded wage earners that their County Adjusted Gross Income Tax liabilities for 1974 are determined by the county of residence or county of principle business or work activity on Jan. 1, 1975. The determination on that date is effective for the entire year's county tax liability.

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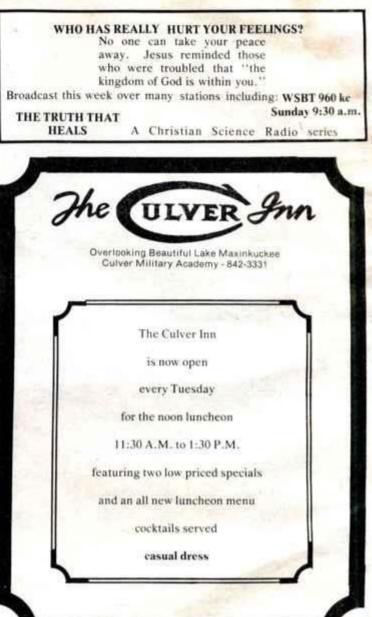
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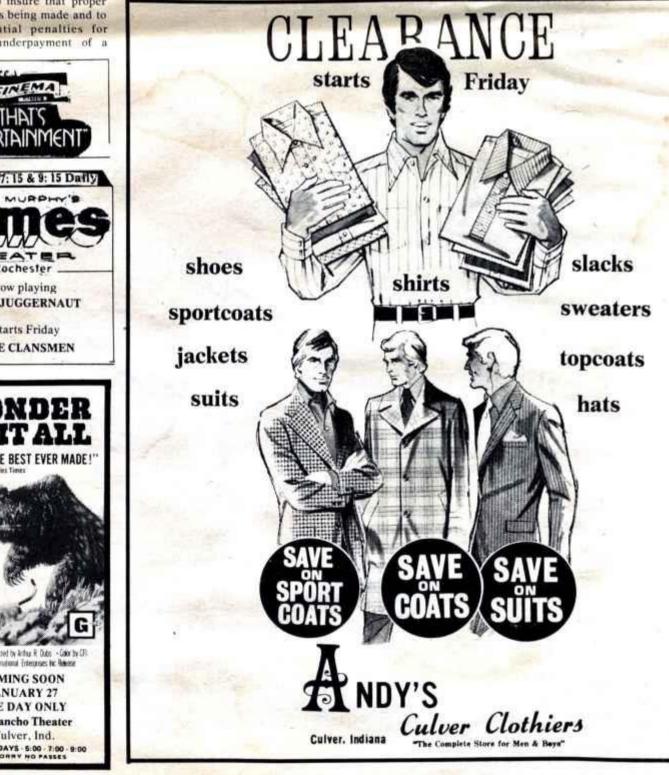
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County Adjusted Gross Income Tax liability, taxpayers should be sure to notify their employers if any change in county of residence or county of principal business or employment had been made since Jan. 1, 1974.

Commissioner Clark added that new WH-4 Authorization Forms must be filled out if the number of a taxpayer's exemptions decrease. In most cases of this type, the revised WH-4 must be filed within 10 days; however, in the event of the death of a dependent. a new form need not be filed until Dec. 31 of the year in which the death occurred.





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5 Innovative 'mini courses' prove (a popular at Culver Junior High

After a year as supervising principal of three elementaryjunior high schools and experiencing some apathy from both students and faculty at the junior high level, William F. Mills asked his faculty for ideas to help student-teacher morale and interest in education.

The result of this query is the mini-course.

The school day is not lengthened, but five minutes is deleted from each of the seven regular class periods. The time schedule is rearranged so that there are four periods of classes, the fifth period as the mini-course (onehalf hour). This is followed by lunch and three more class periods.

According to Mills: "Placement of the mini-course and lunch period breaks up the school day

and supplies an opportunity for the students to let off steam in constructive ways, which is no elementary grades' recess."

The outline for the mini-course was not copied from any existing program in a school system, but was designed by the teachers and Mills according to the various _____ talents and interests of the teachers which would also be of special interest to students.

Mini-courses offered include: boys' home ec. girls' industrial arts, open gym, chess and game, wrestling and weightlifting. leisure reading. newspaper, photography, sports club, study hall, knitting, fencing and advanced math.

Also, chorus, advanced arts. basketball fundamentals, creative drama, conservation, arts and crafts, library reading, remedial math, choraleers, advanced home ec and advanced industrial arts.

The junior high is set up on a nine-week schedule, so each student signs up for two courses each nine weeks. At the end of this period, students may elect to remain in the mini-courses or change to new ones. This offers a maximum of 16 different interest areas possible to explore during the junior high experience.

Mills explained that the courses are basically unstructured. "Attendance is taken, but no grades are given. And there are no course requirements. The teachers are present to offer assistance, not to instruct in the usual manner. This allows students to progress on an individual basis."

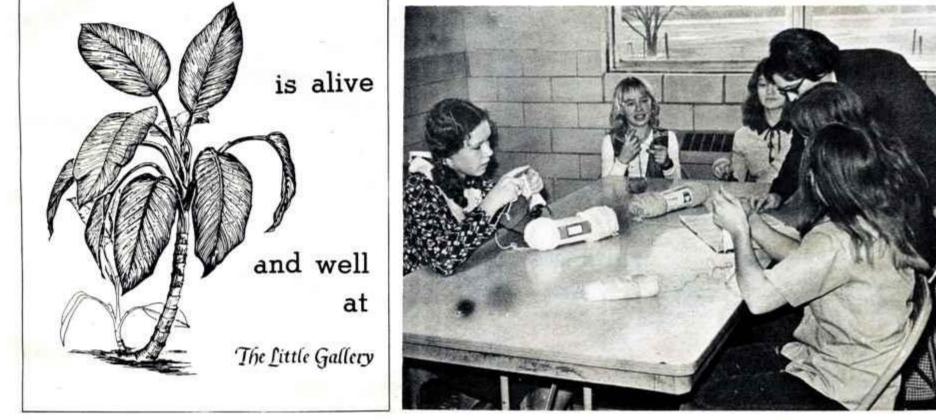
Through the program, students may take courses in areas of high interest or experiment in courses that are appealing. This year, boys' home ec. chorus and arts and crafts are the most popular mini-courses," he added. The average course size is 15 (half the size of a regular class). But this figure varies from four or five up to 60 in a section.

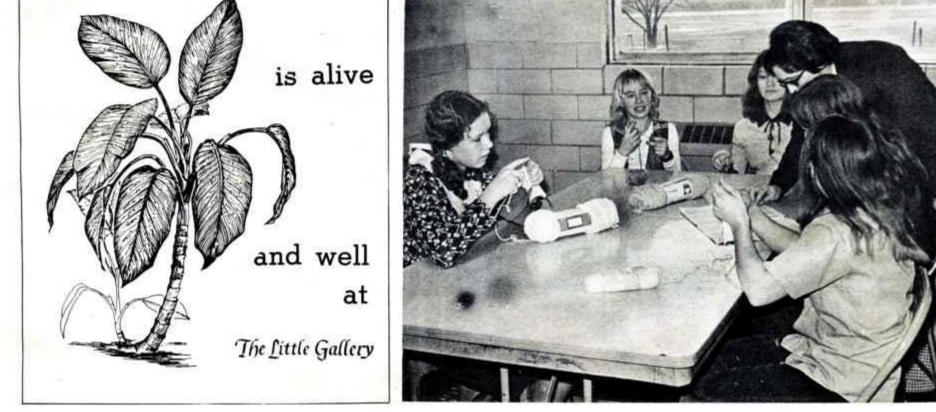
According to Mills: "Results of the mini-course program could be seen almost instantaneously. Disciplinary actions decreased to a minimal amount. Students displayed an increasing respect for the teachers and fellow students. School became interesting and fun, for both students and teachers."

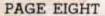




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ERIC, at 17 challenged a disease that wanted his life. The doctors said he had six months to two years to live, but Eric did not get the message and he took a death-defying leap into life. Though he lost the gallant battle. Eric was a winner. Written by his mother. Doris Lund. a cartoonist, illustrator and author of six juvenile books.

The widow of astronaut Virgil (Gus) Grissom tells the tragic and heroic story of her husband and family caught up in America's race for the moon in STARFALL.

Frances Cook MacGregor, a medical social scientist, is the author of T ANSFORMATION AND IDENTITY, the face and plastic surgery.

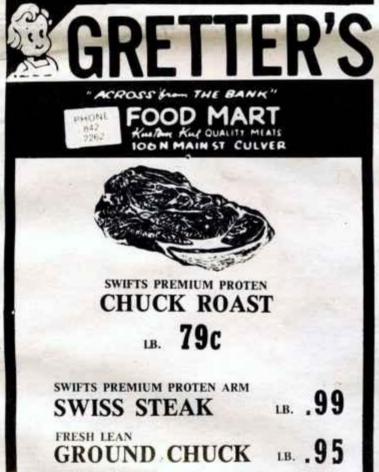
Northwest of Manhattan in the hills of the Ramapo Mountains. there is an enclave of about 1500 racially mixed people who bear witness to social pressures. discrimination and derogatory publicity from colonial times to type of spark plug was found in the present. Misinformed historians have referred to thes people as the "Jackson Whites."

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Just about everybody is interested in color and design, yet most are unaware of how and why they relate to personality and environment. Deborah T. Sharpe in THE PSYCHOLOGY OF COLOR AND DESIGN gives psychological insight into the use of color and design.



PARATROOPER ASSIGNED

PFC Jeffrey P. Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. John w. Hudson. 2473 E. Shore Lane, Culver, is assigned as a paratrooper in Company C, 1st Battalion, 7th Infantry, 3rd Infantry Division in Aschaffenburg, Germany,

SEVERSEN ENDS TRAINING

Army Pvt. Carl T. Seversen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Seversen Sr., Route 5 Knox, has completed eight weeks of basic combat training at Ft. Knox, Ky.

AIRMAN ASSIGNED TO TEXAS

Airman Rusty H. Dinsmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Dinsmore, R.R. 1 Culver, has been assigned to Sheppard AFB. Tex. after completing Air Force basic training.

During his six weeks at the Air Training Command's Lackland AFB, Tex., he studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. The airman has been assigned to the Technical Training Center at Sheppard for specialized training in the transportation field.

He is a 1974 graduate of Culver Community High School.



Survey set for next week

Local representatives of the Bureau of the Census will conduct a survey of employment in this area Jan. 20-24.

The survey is conducted monthly by the Bureau for the US Department of Labor in a

STOLEN AUTO RETURNED

A stolen auto owned by Gerald Bonnell was found Saturday south on old St. Rd. 17 near the Masonic Cemetary.

Bonnell reported that his 1966 auto was taken from his residence, 300 W. Jefferson St. between 6 p.m. Jan. 10 and 8 a.m. Jan. 11.

Town Marshal Richard Woodward had the theft under investigation when the auto turned up.

The Bonnell vehicle was apparently started by what is known as "hot wiring." The ignition wires were cut and shorted together resulting in the engine turning over.

The car was moved from St. Rd. 17 to the Snyder Garage for ignition repair work.

No leads in the theft have been uncovered by local police.

THURSDAY NIGHT BOWLING

Team standings: Snyder Motor Sales, Kline's TV, A-1 Disposal, McKinnis Pharmacy, Master Hardware, Reinhold Trucking, A and R Motors and Van Horn Ford Mercury.

Members of the 500 Club are: J. Triplet 554, D. Ditmire 537 and C. Master 501.

450 members are: N. Baker 497, J. Smith 482, E. McKinnis 469, P. Reinhold 461 and M. Keith 451.

D. Ditmire is in the 200 Club with 200

150 Club: P. Woodward 159, P. Good 154, C. Master 176, 171-154, E. McKinnis 156-182, C. Strang 162, J. Smith 178-160, N. Baker 164-189, N. Runkle 157, M. Keith 161, M. Mikesell 160, C. Bennett 158-153, P. Reinhold 177-159, D. Ditmire 169-168 and J. Triplet 180, 184-190.

League secretaries are urged to submit weekly scores to the CITIZEN for publication.Questions can be answered by calling the editor.

Board's financial status very good

Bids were received by the Culver Community Schools Corporation Board of Trustees for the demolition of the existing smokestack at the Elementary-Junior High School. Robert Nowlin. mechanical engineer from K-M Associates. Elkhart, was present for this portion of the meeting

scientifically designed sample of households throughout the US. Employment and unemployment statistics which are based on results of this survey are used to provide a continuing measure of the economic health of the nation.

Total employment, as measured by the monthly sample survey of households, declined by nearly 800,000 in November to 85.7 million-a level approximating that of a year earlier. Until: this decline, employment had been advancing although slowly and unevenly, throughout the year.

Facts supplied by individuals participating in the survey are kept strictly confidential by law and the results are used only to compile statistical totals.

Interviewers in this area include Mrs. K. O'Guinn and Mrs. Amber Hyska.

PLYMOUTH MAN ADDED AT ANCILLA COLLEGE

Jack Tharp has assumed the position of director of admissions and development at Ancilla College, according to Sr. M. Joel Lampen, president-dean of the college.

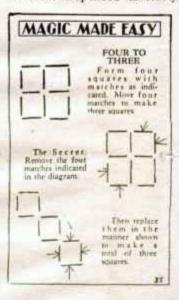
A graduate of Hanover College with a degree in political science. Tharp received the Senior Alumni Award by vote of the faculty in recognition of his outstanding achievement in the areas of scholarship, leadership, character and extra-curricular activities.

While in college Tharp cocaptained the varsity football team in his senior year and won the Dutch Struck Mental Attitude award. He was a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and of the Inter-Franternity Council.

A life-time resident of Plymouth, Tharp and his wife Pam currently reside at 217 Shalley Drive, Plymouth, They are members of the Trinity United Methodist Church. Mrs. Tharp is an elementary teacher in the Triton School System.

Prior to his appointment at Ancilla, Tharp was employed in management with F.W. Means & Company of South Bend. -

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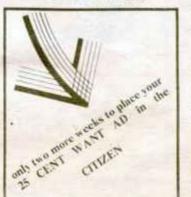
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The only bid received was from Fabricated Steel Products. South Bend. The base bid was \$14,980 with a deduction of \$1200 if a temporary stack could be omitted.

Following consideration of the bid, the Board decided to take the bid under advisement and in the meantime explore ways to reduce the cost of the project.

Superintendent A. F. Allen reviewed the 1974 year-end financial situation and reported that when all four counties make their December tax sttlement, the coproration's financial situation will be very good.

Another major item was a report from Elementary-Junior High School Principal William F. Mills on the Parent Teacher Conference conducted Nov. 20, 1974. According to Mills. an

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Matmen place fourth at Knox

The Cavalier wrestling squad placed third in the 8-team Knox Invitational Tournament Saturday and three Cavalier matmen received first place awards for their impressive grappling.

Eloid Ruiz of the 98-lb. class. Dan Ringen of the 126-lb. class and Wendell Bean of the 145-lb. class each wrestled well to gain championship status in the tournament.

Pedro Ruiz placed second in the 119-lb. class followed by Bill Taber, who placed third in the 167-lb. class. Dan Vujnovich,

HASS SPURS TEAM TO WIN

Coach Ken Hass must have built a fire under his varsity ball team during halftime Saturday night as they staged a second-half rally that earned them a win over Knox 62-56.

Down by five points after the second quarter, Culver came back to take a third quarter advantage and then stretched the lead in the final period.

Don Zehner scored 18 points to lead the Cavalier scorers and Tim Crowel followed with 17. Thomas registered 9 points, Marshall 8 and Wamsley 6.

CCHS varsity ball club is now 5 and 7 for the season.

JR. VARSITY DOWNS KNOX

Despite the Junior Varsity's weak offensive Saturday night, their hustling and man-to-man defense helped them pass by Knox 37-36.

Percentages for the CCHS team were 26% from the field and 27% from the free throw line, while their opponents were 33% from the field and 55% from the line.

The B-team chalked up 42 rebounnds to squeak past Knox by just one point.

Tony Bean recorded 14 points and Bruce Musial had 7 points. Both boys did their share of rebounding with 10 each.

Coach Gene Reese had praise for Kevin Bean, Brad Measles, Carl Koebbe and Roger Fieldhouse for providing the spirit and the enthusiasm which resulted in the victory. 132-lb. class; Dyke Minix, 138-lb. class; Rick Salary, 177-lb. class and Larry Boynce, 185-lb. class each received fourth place recognition.

According to Coach Ron Anderson, every CCHS wrestler looked good against tough competition. "I was pleased with the team effort as a whole and especially the championship efforts of Ruiz, Ringen and Bean," said Anderson.

Charlie Hart and Reed Joice filled in for two regulars who did not make weight requirements and did exceptionally well according to Anderson; however, they didn't place high in the standings.

Taber wrestled the best he had all season. His only loss in the tournament was in the second round when he lost to the eventual champion Bill Groves of John Glenn in the 167-lb. class.

The CCHS team has a busy schedule during the next week. They face Plymouth on their home mats tomorrow evening and participate in the Bremen Invitational Saturday.

Ninth graders win tourney

Coach Dave Spiegel's ninth grade basketball team overtook John Glenn in the championship game of the ninth grade tournament here Saturday to become victors.

The game took place at the high school Jan. 11.

The game was close throughout, with Culver barely overtaking John Glenn 42-41.

Steve Brokus scored 19 points for the young Cavaliers in the championship game. Rod Kemple added 11, followed by Art Newman with 6, Brett Master with 4 and Larry Miller scored 2 points.

The win boosted the Cavalier record to 8-3 and resulted in a seven-game winning streak for the squad.

In the opening game of the tournament, Culver faced Oregon Davis and slid past them 40-28.

Roger Osborn pumped in 10 points in that game, which led



CULVER'S EIGHTH GRADE TEAM posed for a CITIZEN photographer recently. Pictured front row 1 to r: Bob Ransom, Paul Kozubick, Roy Ulch, Mike Wolverton, Ed Newman, Bob Fieldhouse, Joe Wolverton and Ed Mahler. Standing 1 to r: Tim Elston, Rich Holbrook, Tom Flora, Tony Kosowski, Jeff Mills, Gary Rogers, John Oldham and Mike Geiselman. Coach is Jerry Anderson. Not present for the picture was Mark Salinas.

Jr. High teams play at Mentone

Culver Junior High-Elementary School's seventh and eighth grade basketball teams will participate in a four-team invitational tournament Saturday at Mentone Besides Culver, Bremen, Argos and Mentone will take part in the meetings.

Both Culver teams have been paired with Mentone in the opening games of the tournament.

The seventh grade game begins at 9 a.m. and the eighth graders play at 11:30 a.m.

The winners of these two good."

matches will face the winners of the Argos vs. Bremen matches for both the seventh and eighth grade championships.

The championship games will be played Saturday afternoon.

The tournmanet is an annual affair and this is its third year. Last year Culver hosted the event which Mentone won.

Mentone is again favored to win the first place spot this year, however eighth grade coach Jerry Anderson sees the outlook for both Culver teams as "very FOOTBALL COACH NEEDED

Culver Community High School plans to initiate a football program beginning September 1975, and is currently seeking a coach for the coming season.

In the first year of football at CCHS there will be interschoot competition on the junior high and high school reserve levels, according to Athletic Director John Nelson. Hopefully, by 1976 the team will be in a position to meet league competition.

Applications are now being accepted and interviews are being scheduled for the position of head football coach. All persons interested should contact the superintendent's office at 222 N. Ohio St. for the application details.

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The B-team record is now 5-7 for the season.

GIRLS WIN SEASON OPENER

Culver Community High School's girls' basketball team started out their season Thursday with a win over Knox.

The game was a close one throughout, with the final score 28-27.

An impressive stalling exhibition by the girl hoopsters in the final quarter helped them maintain the exceptionally narrow winning margin.

Colleen Foust scored 18 points for the Cavaliers, followed by Kay Mahler with 4 and Karen Kowatch, Debbie Miller and Mary Measels, each with 2. The girls are coached by Nancy Luebcke. CCHS to the final match with John Glenn, who defeated Argos in the first round 40-39.



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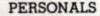
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commissioners room court house in the city of Plymouth in said county. begin investigation of the application of the following named person. requesting the issue to the applicant at the location hereinafter set out, of the Alcoholic Beverage Permit of the class hereinafter designated and will, at said time and place, receive information concerning the fitness of said applicant, and the propriety of issuing the permit applied for to such applicant at the premises named.

RR50-04396 El Ray Inc., Bernard Sheetz Pres. Plymouth, Richard Kreighbaum, V Pres, Plymouth, 117 S Main St., Culver, Ind.

Liquor, beer and wine retailer

Said investigation will be open to the public, and public participation is requested

> Indiana Alcoholic Beverage Commission by Arthur R. Robinson Executive Secretary James D. Sims Chairman

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that the Culver Plan Commission will hold a public hearing at the Town Hall on January 28, 1975, at 7:30 P.M. for the purpose of hearing a proposed plat to be known as Allen's Addition, Land presently owned and developed by Sam H. and Bill Allen. 81/2. 3

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THE CULVER CITIZEN

Class Notes

Editor's note: each week the journalism class of CCHS will present a column of news and happenings at the high school. This week the column is written by Vicki Shidaker, Hellen Phillips and Judy Kemple.]

For those of you who may be wondering what the students of Culver Community High School are up to, here is a rundown on some of the club activities and sports events.

For the past two years the Culver grapplers have joined forces with the opposite sex by having Mat Maids.

This year's Mat Maids are Brenda Martin, Pan Elston, Geneva Coby and Jewel Ransom. Jewel also is the scorekeeper for the wrestlers as well. The girls' jobs are a bit different from cheerleaders at a basketball game. These girls are spotters. They help keep the mat in place and keep score of the matches.

This year they also wear uniforms to build team spirit.

The Art Club is working on a project which should be a sight to see. They are thinking of ideas for a mural which will be seen in the CCHS cafeteria. They also have a bake sale planned. The definte date has not yet been set. We will give the date at a later time.

Drama Club will decide on a musical this week for their spring production. The most recent activity will be their

"Singing Valentines." Thirty students will participate and they will divide into groups of ten. Each student will send a Valentine to someone, find their Valentine and sing to them. They will receive ten cents for doing this. The Drama Club is hoping to make some money to help out with the upcoming production.

Spanish Club is also working on a musical for this spring called "Fernando," It will be done completely in Spanish and will come out sometime in March. Watch for the date!

The CCHS girls basketball team have been working very hard for their tough season. Mrs. Luebcke, the girls' coach, hopes to see alot of peoplecome to cheer the girls on.

Now that Christmas vacation has ended we at CCHS will be working hard for our semester exams. We will then get a short rest as we have no classes sche-uled for Friday, Jan. 17.

ACCIDENT ENDS IN ARREST

\$800 in damages was reportedly done to an auto driven by Norman M. Scruggs, 311 S. Main St., when it ran over a curbing and hit a light pole.

The accident occurred about 8 p.m. Jan. 10 on Lake Shore Dr. near the intersection of Lake St.

According to the police accident report, Scruggs was travelling 30 miles per hour in a 20 mph zone.

He was arrested for reckless driving,

Extensive damage was done to the front end, bumper, hood and grill of the Scruggs auto. No injuries were reported by police.

RADAR GUN CHECKS SPEED

Speeding motorists beware: James Caudill, deputy town marshal, has issued an announcement that the Culver police department will periodically check vehicle speeds by means of a radar gun.

The gun can instantly calculate speeds of passing and oncoming cars, motorcycles and trucks. Caudill says speeders detected by the gun will be cited for excessive speeds.

Culver police have been trained in the use of the radar equipment and will use it occasionally throughout the year.

The radar gun is currently being loaned to Culver by another police department. It is hoped Culver will be granted funds to purchase their own device through a Criminal Justice Agency grant. Marizetta Kenny, to: t clerk, says plans are now under way to apply to the CJA for the grant.

NAPIER TRAINS FOR SUPERINTENDENT POST

Carlo Bob Napier Jr., Culver, was appointed assistant superintendent of the Culver street department water and sewer trunk lines Jan. 6 by the Culver Town Board.

Napier has been employed by the street department for almost one year, and is training for the capacity of superintendent, which is currently held by Verl McFeely.

Napier will be trained in all areas of street maintenance. sewer and trunk line repair and other jurisdictional duties and obligations of the street department.



