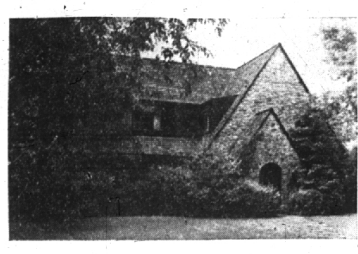


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## Post Office Mural Creator Honored In National Show

Carlos Lopez, who painted the mural in the Birmingham Post Office, was recently accorded a signal honor by the Fine Arts Division, WPA, in Washington, when he was chosen as one of eight American artists to show their work in a special exhibit called "Soldiers of Production."

His nine watercolors and four drawings are now on display with others in the exhibit at the Detroit Institute of Arts.

Clyde Barrows, curator of American art at the Institute, comments on Lopez as follows: "Although Carlos Lopez is the son of Spanish parents and has lived in South America, Cuba and Spain, he is entirely a product of American art education. He began his studies under George Rich and at present is instructor in painting at the Meisinger Art School."

"This is not the first commission given to Lopez by the government. In a competition for mural paintings inaugurated by the Section of Fine Arts some time ago, he was chosen to do a series of wall paintings for postoffices in Dwight, Ill., and in Michigan at Birmingham, Flushing and Paw Paw. Because of the broad scope of his work and his exceptional ability as a painter he was chosen to record the war industries of this area and was given a wide latitude in the choice of his subject matter."

"In the exhibition he has nine watercolors and four drawings. The subjects include the Ambassador Bridge and railroad yards with a sentry in home guard uniform in the foreground, a picture of the Detroit Institute of Arts as a background for Detroit truckers, a factory working night and day; Ford's River Rouge plant, with its aircraft production; the tank arsenal's proving ground surrounded by 10 x 6 guards; the end of the assembly line from which the tanks roll ready for delivery; the powerhouse of the Detroit Tank Arsenal, with its huge areas."

## Bits of Birmingham

**Mr. and Mrs. Joshua D. Martz**, of Fort Huron, Michigan, and John E. Martz, of Birmingham, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on Wednesday, Aug. 19. Both the elder Mr. and Mrs. Martz are 80 years old and are enjoying good health.

The board of education really toiled a long time before it hired Dr. Shihler, seeking a top-flight man. Now it seems that their efforts were the same as when they hired a beautiful young girl for a teacher—neither stays long. The girls get married, of course; while an ace administrator soon finds he can make more money elsewhere than a small city like Birmingham can afford to pay.

Both of our recent superintendents are in promotion. Howard Crull went to Port Huron, while Dr. Shihler goes to Highland Park, as you all know.

In introducing the new superintendent at the Rotary Club meeting Monday, Dr. Shihler characterized Dr. D. B. Ireland as one of the finest secondary school educators he has known and predicted a good future for him.

Returning to the subject of good looking school marms, this Wanderer has inspected the cream of the new ones and picked several very attractive young ladies among them.

John B. Howarth, despite his youth, is using a cane! When invited about it, he admitted it might be a little awkward. He bought the cane as a swigger stick some 50 years ago when a cane was as much a matter of genteel man's hat and gloves. When this Wanderer gets to Mr. Howarth's age he will be lucky to get around in a wheelchair.

A long line of khaki-hued sedan cars whizzed north through Fort Monday morning. It was the first Army sedan models we have seen which differed from the standard civilian sedans. These had blunt front ends and seemed heavier throughout.

The Oakland Citizens League, led by Jim Moore, executive secretary, is holding the right of County Clerk Lynn D. Allen to keep \$1,047.50 in naturalization fees, saying they should go into the County treasury, as they have during the past nine years. Allen says he should get the money, and a suit will be filed to have the courts determine what's what.

Meanwhile, the money will be held in escrow, and in September, voters of Oakland County will pass on a measure which would send all fees to the County treasurer except those of the Probate Court.

F. Dean Burnett, of 1513 Buckley, Birmingham, recently sent a holonip bag to the Stoneycroft golf course. E. C. Wahl, of 1294 Riverside drive, witnessed the incident.

The Chicago Art Institute recently purchased a winter landscape by Jozan Szepely, the Cranbrook artist. Eleven American Art museums now own Szepely works.

Oh to have the iron nerve of Little Orphan Annie, who can watch a million Eileen Aronson and never bat an eyelash!

Joints away from home are a favorite sport with Clarence Drey, eight years old, of 291 Martin street. The other day he pedaled his bicycle to Fort Pontiac, where he took him into custody at 1:20 a. m.

Earl Thompson, of 1544 East Lincoln, reported to police the theft of a spare tire, which he said might have been stolen here or in Pontiac.

During the past week, bicycles were reported stolen from Beverly Hayward, 704 Hanna to red Holladay; from Janice Allen Patterson, 3234 Sheridan drive, Beverly Hills to red and cream Spitfire; and from the little daughter of Mrs. W. L. Goodwin, 575 Merrill (a red girl's bike.) Somewhat different was the loss by Mrs. Fredree Y. Henkel, Wing Lake, of her Norwegian elk hound.

The congregation of St. Matthew's Evangelical and Reformed Church, Detroit, held its annual outdoor church service and picnic at Springdale Park last Sunday.

A Bloomfield Village resident who is in the radio business evolved this method of announcing his new daughter:

"BIC, 781 Overhill road, Birmingham, Michigan, licensed to Florence and Bill Cartwright, aired the first broadcast at 12:21 P. M., July 11, 1942, from Womans Hospital, Detroit.

"An anxious, although small group was present at the first program, which began as scheduled with a small cry by the star performer, Bonnie Cartwright, weighing eight pounds one ounce. Program was considered excellent.

"The hospital address was not previously been given to multiple ownership—the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers or the Federal Communications Commission—full clearance in the fall and expects the Cartwrights were advised that they were given a lifetime license to direct the growth and expansion of WFC (William Francis Cartwright) now a little over 2 years old and BIC (Bonnie Juliet Cartwright).

"New studios have been opened at the hotel address and you are cordially invited to drop in for a star performance."

A tall story from Willow Run says that the plant is so big that it might be working in the south end of the building, speak with a Southern drawl and call the people up north "Dammned Yankees."

Wallace and Angus McLay have arrived in Arizona on that construction job. Wallace, who is 20 years old, tried to enlist, was turned down for deficient vision, but he expects to be called as an I-R man by the Selective Service.

Angus, who is 18, will enter college in the fall and expects to eventually enter the armed forces.

Lindo Moore says that Birmingham, Michigan, is referred to as "Brimingham" by some of the natives over there.

Russell Chapman, the bowling team captain, was in to announce the start of the new season on Saturday. During the past week-end he and several others attended the annual State Convention of the American Legion. These were Commander Warren Sterling, Carl Eley, Russell Fisher, Earl Hoy, Ray Good, Dr. C. P. Hamill, Bill Green and Howard "Inch" Groves.

A big plane roared over the Municipal Building Monday night during the Commission meeting. Reason: The recent stationing at Selfridge Field of a flock of big bombers, and the fact that they often range this far west.

The first German fighter plane to be shot down by the U. S. Air Forces in Europe was met with a burst of fire from a Flying Fortress named by its men as the "Birmingham Blitzkrieg." No doubt meaning us.

## Jo Armstrong II Given Scholarship

The Detroit Alumni Association of Washington and Jefferson Colleges, Washington, Pa., has announced that it has awarded its annual four-year scholarship to a member of the June, 1941 graduating Class of Baldwin High School.

Jo Armstrong II is the recipient of this honor. Jo, one of Baldwin's best all-around athletes, was the winner of letters in football, track and baseball during his three years at the school. He was a member of three T.Y.A.A. championship football teams—a first string player on two of Baldwin's district championship basketball squads.

He also achieved an excellent record as a rower, having been a co-captain with Paul Kelly, of the 1942 Johnson Memorial Trophy, which is awarded each year to the

graduate senior who has shown the greatest proficiency in football, track and athletics. A class officer, chairman of the student committee that formulated the new student activity program, chairman of the College Week schedule and an officer of Student Congress, he leaves Baldwin with an extraordinary record that should be helpful to him in Washington and Jefferson. He leaves for the East on Aug. 29.

He is the second member of the Armstrong family to receive a four-year scholarship. A w. a. d. Frank Armstrong, president of the February, 1941, graduating class of Baldwin is now attending Rutgers University, New Brunswick, N. J., on the Brown scholarship.

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## REGISTRATION NOTICE!

City of Bloomfield Hills

for General Primary Election September 15, 1942

Notice is hereby given that any person wishing to vote at this election must be registered on or before WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 1942 AT 8:00 P. M.

Any person who is a Citizen of the United States, 21 years of age, will have resided in the City of Bloomfield Hills 20 days and in the State of Michigan 6 months prior to the date of election may register by calling at the City Clerk's Office in the Municipal Building between the hours of 8:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M., except that on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, the Clerk's Office will be open from 8:00 A. M. to 8:00 P. M., Eastern War Time.

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## Hope Mediation Will Save Tree

The City Commission decided Monday night to try mediation in an effort to save a fine shade tree on City property.

City Manager D. C. Ebert reported that David Roy, 231 East Brown, had erected a small fence on his property adjoining the property of E. D. Matthews, property at 251 East Brown. Previously, Matthews had been using a portion of the Roy driveway to get into his garage, but with the fence, a trolley for the machinery was very difficult, and Matthews asked permission to fell the tree.

Ebert said that the fence was not erected because of any animosity, but because Roy feared that the tree would be cut down by others might cloud his title.

Commissioner W. C. Ailes, an attorney, pointed out that there were several ways besides the fence by which Roy could protect his rights. A written and recorded statement by Matthews eschewing any claim to Roy's land would protect him, he said, and would save the tree.

Ebert will confer further with the persons involved.

**HILLS SELLS CHEMICAL TRUCK**  
Bloomfield Hills City two weeks ago sold its big chemical fire truck to the Village of Hazel Park, in southern Oakland County. They obtained \$15,000 for it. It was made by the American La France Co., and was purchased in 1929. "We don't need it any more," explained City Manager Harry S. Starr. "Our present pumping equipment handles our needs for we can back it right up to a lake or creek and get plenty of H2O for fire fighting purposes."

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## Gilgespie Youth Gets Scholarship

John A. Gilgespie, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Gilgespie, of 1048 Pierce street, last week was awarded the LaVerne Noyes Scholarship from Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana, which amounts to \$100 per year for four consecutive years, providing his scholastic index is 4.5 or over. He will enter Purdue, for the electrical engineering course, August 29; he will leave August 24 for the freshman camp and orientation period.

John graduated from Baldwin high school last June, and in his senior year was president of the Student Congress and the Baldwin branch of the National Honor Society. He also holds a Life Scout merit rating with five year's service.

Some time ago he was awarded the Alpha Tau Omega cash prize of \$200 for scholastic standing, being the first selection from 32 candidates.

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