

GE Engineer to Reside Here

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Nov. 28.—John Pearson Smith, Step 14, Troy road, has been transferred to the Michigan district of the General Electric Company's apparatus department as application engineer. It was announced here today. His headquarters will be in Detroit.

Smith was born in Buffalo, N. Y., and was graduated from Purdue University in 1935 with a B.S. degree in electrical engineering. He joined General Electric five years as a student engineer on the Test Course.

During the past nine years, he

has been an application engineer with the industrial engineering divisions of the apparatus department in the materials handling, mining, petroleum, and chemical fields. Recently he specialized in process control equipment for the chemical and petroleum industries.

Smith and his family will reside at 1938 Graefefeld road, Birmingham, Michigan.

He is a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, and the Instrument Society of America, having been president of the Eastern New York section of I.S.A. during 1948-49. Smith is also a member of Tau Beta Pi and Eta Kappa Nu.

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'Y' League Teams Still Need Players

The Birmingham YMCA has issued another call for young men interested in playing basketball to apply either at the 'Y' office or at Baldwin High School gym next Monday evening to fill vacancies on the teams in the 'Y' league.

W. A. Calder's team is set with a veteran squad led by Roger Reynolds, Chet Myren, Harry Suggen, Red Koe, Keith Ege, George Pope, Don Runkel, Blake Sutton, Gene Wilkens, and Walt Allison.

North Chevrolet All-Stars have the two Kelley brothers, Harold and Paul; Don Little, Al Larson, John MacDonald and Dick Dunn. Franz Fugmann has John Martz, Bud Herb, Ed and Don, Keith, Jack Tobin and himself on the Virginia Market squad.

The Exchange club lists Tiny Lovett, Tom Macon, John Baxter, John Dewney, Bob Moody and Red McBride. Craig's Sporting Goods store has Dick and Carl Blauson, Dick M or g. n., Ray Ernst, Ted Herbst and Dale Roberts.

All teams are seeking players and a sixth team is urgently needed to make a balanced league. In most cases, the sponsors have player uniforms. Play is governed by regulation rules and registered officials are employed. Supervision is through the 'Y'.

Exhibition games Monday, Dec. 5 at Baldwin high school will launch the league with Craig's Sporting Goods opposing Virginia Market at 7:00 p.m.; Exchange Club vs. North Chevrolet All Stars at 8:00 p.m.; and the 'Y' Varsity vs. W. A. Calder at 9:00 p.m. Web Six and Ed Kierbit will officiate.

School Lunch Plan to Be PTA Topic

The December meeting of the Poppleton Parent-Teacher association will be held Wednesday evening, Dec. 7, at 8:00 p.m. at the school.

Mrs. Mabel Statia will speak on "The Necessity of a Lunch Program in Your School". A Christmas skit will be presented by the third and fourth grade pupils under the direction of their teacher, Mrs. John Bro.

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Obituary Notices

William A. Bernier
Services, in charge of the Manley Bailey funeral home were held Saturday afternoon from the Redeemer Lutheran church for the late William Alexander Bernier of 1362 Webster.

Mr. Bernier, 49, died last week Wednesday after a long illness. He was born in Calumet on Sept. 29, 1900, and married Minnie Niemi on April 3, 1926 in Highland Park.

He had been maintenance supervisor in the Highland Park Chrysler plant and had been with the company for 25 years.

He is survived by his widow, a son Gordon, three daughters, Margaret, Marie and Evelyn, all at home. A brother and six sisters, Albert Bernier, Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mrs. George DePaul, Mrs. Charles Kaitner, Mrs. Weldon Payne, Mrs. Clifford Tracy and Mrs. Albert Varilone, also survive.

Burial was in White Chapel.

Clare C. Stewart
Clare C. Stewart, 72, died at his home, 964 East Maple Road, following a long illness. He

was born in Pinckney on Jan. 19, 1877, and received his education in the Cadillac schools. He came to Birmingham in 1906. He married Sadie Preston in Birmingham in 1915.

Mr. Stewart had been an insurance broker for many years, and before that was a customs officer.

Mr. Stewart is his only survivor.

The members of Birmingham Lodge, F. & A. M., No. 14, conducted their ritualistic burial service at the Manley Bailey funeral home Wednesday afternoon.

Cub Packs Aid ACS in White Cloth Drive

Mrs. Gertrude Powers, local chairman of the American Cancer Society, has announced that the white cloth drive will open here this Saturday. She reported that the boys from the various Cub Packs would collect cloth for the group.

"We need it badly," Mrs. Powers said. "There are many, many dressings to be made and little or nothing to make them from. The boys will collect any kind of white cotton cloth for us. The only exception is shirts—we can use men's shirts even though they are colored."

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johnny jackets, and color does not matter at all. Their collections at the Detroit Mason building, where it will be picked up by members of the ACS.

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