

News About GIRL SCOUTS

LATHRUP BROWNIES-TROOP 8
Scribe Gail Vogt reports that mobile cupids for Valentines Day were made by the girls at the last meeting. Refreshments consisted of Brownie cookies.

TROOP 111
After making Valentine corsages for their mothers, the girls practiced for the father and daughter banquet. Scribes are Diane Dunn and Heckey Klock.

TROOP 158
Making Valentines for their parents and practicing for the father and daughter banquet occupied the time of this troop, reports Janice Clark, scribe.

TROOP 166
First aids kits the girls have been working on during the past few weeks were finished at the last meeting. They also practiced for the father and daughter banquet and had a treat of candied apples. Jane Herrick is scribe.

TROOP 187
Gail Howard, scribe, reports that troop members made Valentine cards and delivered them to St. Joseph hospital. Brownie Troops 473 and 254 and Intermediate Troop 261 are planning a roller skating party this Thursday.

ST. HUGO
Brownies from Troop 473 made Valentine baskets and Valentine cards and delivered them to St. Joseph hospital. Brownie Troops 473 and 254 and Intermediate Troop 261 are planning a roller skating party this Thursday.

222-BALDWIN
Brownies made Valentine trays favors for 40 children in the Oakland County contagious hospital. The troop attended the Shrine circus. Kathleen O'Meara, a member of this troop, is planning to move to Omaha, Neb., in the near future.

TROOP 371-HOLY NAME
Girls of Scout troop 371 enjoyed an old fashioned sleigh ride complete with horses, sleigh-bells, sled, straw and snow. Hot chocolate and cookies were consumed while riding. Another high-light of last week was the play "Tom Thumb's Wedding Day" which the girls gave for Brownie troop 368. After the program the Brownies served the Scouts refreshments.

TROOP 316-WING LAKE
Last Saturday members of Girl Scout troop 310 of Wing Lake visited the Oakland County Children's Home in Pontiac and took with them dolls for which they had made clothes. For the little boys, they purchased and took with them. During the trip, the girls played games, served ice cream, cookies and candy. The group also practiced for their Juliette Low program which they will present for parents and friends at Vaughan school. Julie DeVlieg was in charge of the refreshments.

TROOP 495-ADAMS
Fathers of Brownie troop 495 of Adams school were entertained at a Valentine party at 952 Wimbeldon drive. After each girl and her daddy shared a box supper, the fathers joined their daughters in songs, games and folk dancing. Leaders of the troop are Mrs. A. F. Bridenstine, Mrs. E. Stehle and Mrs. O. Rodgers.

Sitter Service Feature Of Adams Family Frolic
A special service to the mothers will be a feature of the Adams PTA's annual family frolic to be held from 3:30 to 8:30 p.m., Friday, Feb. 19, at the school.

Betty Vander Roest has set up a new nursery service for the mothers who want to work on the frolic. Nursery will be managed by Mrs. Mable Marsh, leader of Girl Scout troop 367, and her assistants, Dorothy Russell, Julia Perkins, Ruth Strong and the girls in the troop.

The nursery will be open from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

New Jersey House Guest
A house guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Kimbrey, 711 Abbey road, in Mrs. C. W. Kalerthaler of Short Hill, N. J., formerly of Birmingham. Mrs. Kimbrey will be one of the first to entertain at a party in honor of her guest.

Speaker Takes Group On an 'Imaginary Tour'
Northern Suburbans Alumni club of Alpha Gamma Delta will meet Feb. 18 at 8 p.m. at the home of Mrs. James R. McCordie, 1304 Greenleaf drive, Royal Oak. Miss H. A. Anderson of Beverly Hills is assisting the hostess with advance preparations for the meeting.

Guest speaker will be Miss Mildred Lamb of the J. L. Hudson company. She will take the group on an "Imaginary Tour Behind the Scenes of a Big Department Store."

Have You Met . . .
The residents of 655 Chapin avenue who moved from Detroit on Jan. 10? They are Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Solem and seven-month-old daughter, Diane Elizabeth. Solem is employed in the circulation department of the Detroit News. He is a member of Zion lodge No. 1, F. & A. M.

City Gasses Up
The city will purchase 8,000 gallons of gasoline from the Standard Oil company at a price of 13.8c per gallon. Birmingham city commissioners approved the purchase which totals \$1,104 following study of competitive bids at its Monday night meeting. Standard's was the low bid.

PTA Plans Small Fry Attractions

Special attractions for the kiddies at the Quanton PTA Fair to be held Friday, Feb. 26, from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., will be the make-up room with Mrs. William Burgum and Mrs. Newell McCuen in charge.

Included will be the pick-a-pocket lady, Mrs. J. C. Siegemund, Jr., and the sugar plum fairy, Mrs. Sidney Sullivan. Mrs. Robert Wyatt, the fish pond, and Mrs. R. Larkin, the bean jar.

Fortunes will be told by Mrs. Frye Ayers. A life sized puppet will be controlled by Mrs. W. L. Martin dressed as a clown and helium filled balloons will be offered for sale by Mrs. Charles Duray.

PRE-SCHOOL set will be entertained by the see-a-story lady, Mrs. Joseph C. Cook, who is offering movie slides accompanied by a narrator. Two Walt Disney films in technicolor, "Mickey's Circus" and "Modern Inventions" will be shown by Mrs. Robert Heller.

Under the direction of Mrs. Katherine Ratcliff, half the Girl Scouts are making candy for sale and the others are making handmade puppets. The Brownies will have carnations at their booth. Cub packs B-31 and B-2, with Mrs. John Cooper and Mrs. J. H. Van Duren as pack mothers, will sell dish cloths and sponges as well as hand made projects.

Rotary Presents JA Firm Charter
Ten members of the JA Producers, a Junior Achievement firm sponsored by the Birmingham Rotary Club, were present Monday noon at the regular noon luncheon of the Rotary at the Community House to receive their company's charter.

The charter was presented to Ann Hamner, president of the JA company, by Rotary President Ed Pool. Rotary advisors to the firm are: Bill Hall, Sam Walker and George Mullin.

Members of the JA organization, in turn, presented the Rotary club with a plaque in appreciation of the club's sponsorship.

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Pvt. Robert Pajoff Stationed With Infantry Division In Far East

KOREA—Pvt. Robert E. Pajoff, 3821 Fernleigh, is serving with the 26th Infantry Division in Korea.

Rushed to Korea during the early days of the conflict, the "Troop Lightning" division took part in some of the most bitter fighting on the peninsula. It is now undergoing intensive post-truce training.

Pvt. Pajoff, a wireman, entered the army in February 1953, completed his basic training at Fort Lewis, Wash., and arrived in the Far East last month.

Lathrup Requests School Signal

A request for a traffic light at the Annie Lathrup school on Southfield road was formally made by Lathrup Village councilmen Monday night.

Learning that the Southfield school board is in favor of the light and having some assurance that the school district would share \$300 for installation plus \$90 yearly maintenance, Lathrup councilmen requested the Oakland County road commission to install the light as soon as possible.

The Lathrup school PTA also will share \$200 of the cost with the city assuming its third of the installation cost.

Dog Warden Lands On Plymouth Rock

Being dog warden for the city of Birmingham is not always a continual pursuit of canines as Ralph Riley, dog warden, will testify.

Monday afternoon Riley was asked to corral, of all things, a stray Plymouth Rock chicken.

Mrs. Charles Fontaine, 1322 Smith, called Birmingham police to tell them about the apparently lost hen that was wandering around the yard.

Riley answered the call and captured the hapless hen which apparently had no home nearby. He took the bird in a local veterinary hospital for disposal.

Car Strippers Busy in City

Birmingham police have given warning that car strippers are in action in the city.

During the past few weeks, there has been an increase in thefts of radios, spare wheels, fender skirts and items from cars, according to Detective Sgt. Merle Holmquist.

Monday afternoon, Mrs. Fred Stinson, 1411 Humphrey, reported the theft of \$30 worth of groceries from her car which was in the parking lot of a chain grocery on S. Woodward.



PRIVATE Douglas M. Hancock, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Hancock, 748 Bannville, has completed eight weeks of basic training at Ft. Knox, Ky. He will receive additional training, following a ten-day leave, before permanent assignment to an Army unit.

News copy submitted early is necessarily given preference, so the "early bird" usually gets the space.

Elementary Pupils At Vaughan School Write For Journal

All the Vaughan elementary pupils have written stories for the Inter-School Journal.

Pat Little, a pupil in the second grade has brought an aquarium for the class. The room has also made murals on rural and city mail deliveries.

A pupil in Mrs. Velloff's third grade room has broken her ankle. Her name is Peggy Kingsbury.

The pupils in Mrs. Long's fifth grade made a trip to the Cranbrook Museum, February 11th. They also won the book for their room for having the most parents by percentage at the P.T.O. meeting, February 8th. Dana Hoffman brought goldfish to the room.

A chess tournament has been started in Mr. Cook's sixth grade room. There are twelve pupils entering in the tournament. Tommy Lee has made a chart in which he'll keep score of the people playing and who won. Mr. Cook has also entered the tournament.

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