



ADMIRE GIFT FROM PIERCE SCHOOL CHILDREN AND PARENTS
Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson, Tommy, Bruce and Kathleen

(Eccentric Photo)

Pierce School Head Honored at Program

Opening with a picture taken when he was six months old, Pierce PTA presented a farewell program for Principal Malcolm Ferguson, who will head the teaching staff of the new Beverly school when it opens next fall.

Following a script prepared by Mrs. C. L. Sieman and Mrs. J. Hengelmann, the story followed "Mac's" life through his childhood, school years, and his years as a teacher and leader in education.

Special guests were brought here for the program, including his four sisters, Mrs. Eber Stewart of Deford, Mrs. James Hamilton of Highland Park, Mrs. Catherine Niles of Pontiac, and Mrs. Leslie Jones of Rochester, and his brother, Harding Ferguson of Pontiac.

His wife, supposedly unable to come because of a previous engagement, appeared at the proper time in the script, along with the three Ferguson children, Kathleen, Tommy and Bruce.

OTHER SURPRISE guests include Mrs. Matha Seligman, "Mac's" fifth grade teacher, and Mrs. William Murphy of Birmingham, one of his students when he

taught in Vassar, Mich. Daniel Nesbitt, his successor at Pierce, was introduced, also.

Illustrated by slides prepared by Marvin Brokaw, program modera-

tor, with the assistance of Ferguson's family and friends, one picture recorded the eventful day when "Mac" and his mother stood together as graduates of Michigan State Normal college, members of the same class.

Head of Pierce for the past seven years, Ferguson was reminded that at his first PTA meeting the audience numbered 35, school enrollment slightly over 300.

TODAY THE school attendance is tripled and the PTA audience fills the school auditorium. As a parting gift, Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson received a silver coffee

CWVS Placement Chairman Named

Mrs. Harry C. Schaefer, 16280 13 Mile road, was appointed placement chairman at the annual meeting of College Women's Volunteer Service, May 29, in Merrill-Palmer school. The organization's aim is to suit volunteer activity to the talents and inclination of volunteers so that community service is better benefited.

While meeting requests for help from such agencies as Cancer Center, American Red Cross, League for the Handicapped, local hospitals, Detroit Orthopedic Clinic and others, Mrs. Schaefer's task will be served by the files on members listing their training and abilities.

Members and delegates of 65 affiliated college and sorority alumnae groups report for the year the record of 25,000 volunteer hours of service to the community. Mrs. John Campbell, 1333 Glenary, serves on CWVS board as member at large.

Forest Lake Women Meet for Luncheon

Tables were decorated with pink geraniums for the May luncheon meeting of the Women of Forest Lake country club, held last week at the Kingsley Inn.

Mrs. L. N. Mays, said 15 new members have been received since the last monthly luncheon, and reminded the group that Friday is "Ladies Day" on the golf course.

Other club events include the May 24 business meeting and the next luncheon meeting, June 15. This will be held at the club.

service from the children of Pierce school and their parents. Slides used during the program and a wood-covered scrapbook with the show's script also were presented.

In accepting the gifts, Ferguson said, "I am completely overjoyed with the entire program and for what is probably the first time in my life, I'm speechless!"

Working with the Pierce PTA and faculty in keeping the real program "under cover," the feature of the evening had been announced as an address by Dr. Dwight R. Ireland, superintendent of schools.

Dr. Ireland, Norman Wolfe, assistant superintendent, and members of the board of education were guests.

LEND US A HAND

And help The Eccentric's editorial and advertising departments with next week's issue.

Because everybody (that includes us, too) will be observing Memorial Day next Monday, May 31, we on The Eccentric's editorial and advertising staffs would be greatly assisted if you can turn in early news and advertising copy.

We hope you will

DO YOUR BEST

Woodward Alumnae Meet for Luncheon

Mrs. Harry Schaefer of Birmingham was elected vice president and Mrs. J. R. Huntley, Birmingham Panhellenic representative, of Detroit and North Woodward alumnae of Zeta Tau Alpha.

The afternoon group of the Alumnae held a luncheon and fashion show last week at Oak Hills Country Club.

Antioch Freshman To Be Counselor For Summer Camp

David A. Jokinen is one of 30 Antioch college students acting as counselors for a school camp at nearby Mad River Township. Jokinen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew H. Jokinen, 308 North Greenhriar, answered the call for counselor volunteers from a camp leadership class at the college and is spending two days this week at Camp Wy-Ca-Key.

Jokinen is studying full-time this year, but next year he will be one of 1000 Antioch students operating under an unusual plan whereby study on campus is combined with work experience in 33 states, fulfilling requirements for graduation. He plans to major in international relations.

Have You Met . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Harry R. Klimshyn, 81555 Eastlady drive who moved from Detroit? Klimshyn is employed in the process engineering department of Englehardt Tool and Manufacturing company. His hobbies are horsetack riding, boating and golf. They have a son, Harry, Jr., and a daughter, Shirley. Rose Yates, who is visiting her parents from Fairbanks, Alaska, with her husband, Thomas W., and two month-old son, Vene.

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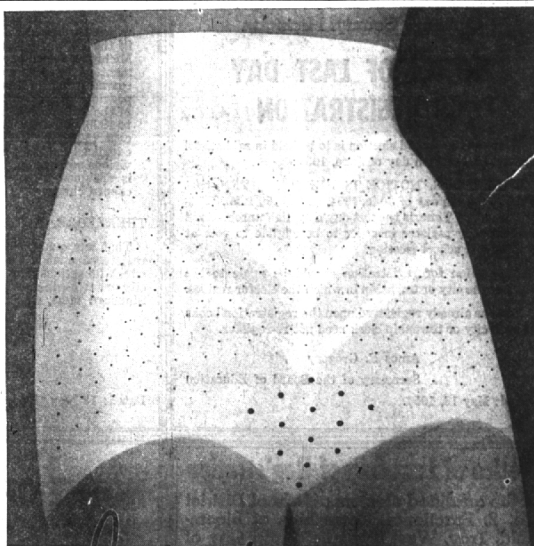


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