

# Franklin

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## Mrs. Barringer Named Head of Girl Scouts

FRANKLIN—Mrs. Wallace Barringer of Hensleyville has been named neighborhood chairman of the Franklin Girl Scout organization, it was announced by Mrs. John Holmes, leader of that post for the past two years.

The new chairman is a newcomer to Franklin, here only since February, but is a veteran in girl scout work with 15 years of experience. She has three small daughters and one son. Mrs. Barringer has had previous, intermediate, junior high and senior high training.

She will administer the nine troops in Franklin and has appointed Mrs. Arthur Marshall as organizer.

## Forecast Diets For 15 Members Of Scout Troop

FRANKLIN—Diets are forecast for the 15 members of Girl Scout Troop 302 and their four leaders. Mrs. Willard Chaplain, Mrs. Connel Shelton, Mrs. George Howard and Mrs. Herbert Smith also spent last weekend at Camp Narron with the girl scouts.

All that fresh air and work on their Campcraft and Adventure mobility badges stimulated robust appetites, reports Mrs. Chaplain who said, "The pounds will have to come off, but the badge work we completed is real progress."

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



## Franklin Is Paint a Sign of Spring?

### Social Briefs

The Stephen Gilles of Seaside drove to Washington, D.C., for a week's holiday and invited Nancy Dwyer along as a traveling companion for their daughter, Mary.

After a recent tornado damaged the roof of the house next to the one the Lloyd McKinnys were visiting in Esther, Mo., they moved on to visit cousins near Cuba City, Wis.

It's spring, tra-la! and while a young man's fancy may turn to thoughts of love, it's obvious the fairer sex would rather paint pictures of old barns. At least in Franklin. Absorbed in their art are Mrs. Jack Cherriman, Mrs. James H. Bennett and Mrs. John R. Caldwell in the foreground. Looking over Mrs. Bennett's shoulder is Mrs. Ralph Sturmer of Bloomfield township, who instructs art students at her home on Quarton road. The barns, by the way, are frequently painted—on canvas—and are relics of early Franklin, says Miss Mary Glass, who owns them and an antique shop on Franklin road.

Old friends converged at the Al Griggs' home recently for luncheon and a reunion with former Franklinite, Mrs. Vernon Converse, Jr., who is visiting her son and daughter-in-law and grandchildren living on Evelyn ave.

The George Donaldson, Jr., of S. Greenbrier drove to Miami for 10 days with their son, Jim. Their daughter Julie, was staying with society sisters in Fort Lauderdale. Because of her busy schedule, Julie, a sophomore at Western Michigan was able to spend just one day with her family.

An hour and a quarter long trans-oceanic conversation was made possible Saturday by the resourcefulness of local ham radio operators, who arranged to have Mrs. Ralph Charlebeau of Wellington road speak with her husband in London on a business trip.

Dr. Earl Weston of Wing Lake with rail letters. B-H-M-O made contact with J. C. Farlow, GEBAL of London who handled the lecture at that end. Operator Taylor Paisley of Canal road received the call in Franklin with Mrs. Charlebeau standing by to talk to her traveling spouse.

"I certainly have a lot of respect for ham radio after this," said Mrs. Charlebeau, "there were only about half a dozen seconds that didn't come clear and think of what it would have cost as a telephone call!"

## 50 to Attend May Retreat

FRANKLIN—About 50 Franklin youths are expected to participate in the Senior Youth Fellowship retreat May 3 and 4 at Cedar Lake camp. Miss Connie Kach of the Franklin Community church announced this week.

Plans for the retreat are being formulated by newly elected officers: Dick Lee, president; Edward Lampson, vice president; Cindy Starnett, recording secretary; Jerry Loren, corresponding secretary; Larry Sartin, treasurer and Bob Oplitz, sub-district representative.

Appointed to the board are Betty Fraser, Jack Swift, Margorie Lam, Joan Treutaud, Alan Young and Hoyt Hill.

The Youth Fellowship also announces that the monthly matinee movie will be May 17, because of the retreat.

The Franklin Women bowlers are having their annual luncheon at Western country club May 1 at 12:30 p.m.

The Franklin Village bowlers will have their banquet at Kingsley Inn May 7.

### Group to Meet

WOODCREEK FARMS—Members of the Woodcreek Civic association will meet tonight at 8:30 at the home of Richard M. Weedon, 7859 Old Colony road.

### Sponsor Breakfast

LATHRIP—The members of St. Joseph's guild of St. Bede's church will sponsor a breakfast at the 8 a.m. Mass May 4 for all women of the parish and their children.

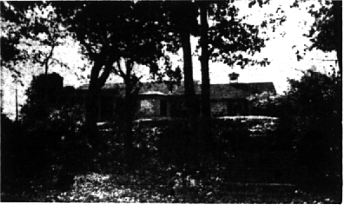
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## Colonial Dinner Set for May 22

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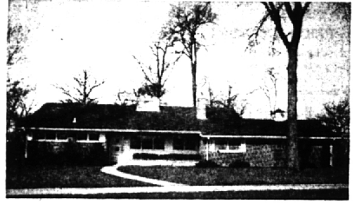


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