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### Four Lathrup Scouts to Attend Colorado Meeting

Four lucky Lathrup girl scouts have been chosen from the area to represent Southern Oklahoma and Colorado at the Girl Scout Round-up July 2-14 at Colorado Springs, Colo.

The round-up is held every second year in different sections of the country and is attended by girls from all over the USA as well as some foreign countries.

Chosen from the Lathrup area are Mary Lee Hines, Troop 140; Barbara Jean Craig, 165; Cheryl Commons, 196 and Isabelle Owen, 200. Alternates chosen are Martha Kronsauge, 196 and Adele Ewart, 640.

St. Margaret's Guide of St. David's Episcopal church on 12 Mile road met Nov. 25 at the home of Mrs. John Bryan of Rock Creek drive, Cranbrook Village.



### Hail to the Chief

Retiring Lathrup Police Chief Arley Van Meer (right) looks over a scroll awarded to him recently in appreciation for his service to the community. With Van Meer are Lathrup's new Police Captain, Thomas Telfeson, and Mayor Richard N. Cogger. Van Meer was police chief for a year and spent five years on the volunteer force before his recent retirement.

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### Brisebois Family Gets Together At Dinner Parties

**LATHRUP**—A busy last few weeks has been had by Mrs. L. A. Brisebois of Sunset Blvd. It began with a farewell dinner the Friday before Thanksgiving for Mrs. Harry Anderson of Birmingham. The Andersons are shortly leaving for Bolter, Colo., where their daughter resides.

A FAMILY dinner was held Thanksgiving with daughter and her family from Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ottwell, Jr., and family, Kathleen and Diane. Also a son, Alfred H. Brisebois, with his wife and children, Susan and Penny and young Robert, here for the festivities.

### Supper Club Slates Meeting Saturday

**LATHRUP**—The Lathrup Supper Club will meet Saturday for an evening of square dancing and Fellowship Hall of the Community Congregational church.

Committee chairman this month are Mr. and Mrs. Al Fleming, with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ackles, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cannon and Mr. and Mrs. Angus O'Brien assisting.

### Santa To Drop In At Lathrup By Helicopter

**LATHRUP**—Annual Christmas tree lighting ceremonies will be held at Lathrup school Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m.

For the second year the Lathrup Police Recreation Dept. Inc. will bring Santa Claus in to visit with Lathrup children by helicopter. The copier will land just north of the school on the playground, and Santa will hand out pre-Christmas treats in the main hall of Lathrup school.

Along with members of the city council, and carrying Girl Scouts the Southfield high school band will be on hand to greet Santa.

The large tree standing at the side of Southfield road has become a welcome sight to motorists traveling through the city since 1955.

### Saturday Rec Program Begins In Southfield

A Saturday morning recreation program for public school children was announced last week. It is sponsored by the PTA and Southfield schools, department of physical education and athletics.

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 13, boys and girls 14 years old will register at the Southfield high school gym for one hour of instruction and participation in organized basketball and volleyball. The groups will each meet in separate gyms.

The 12 and 13 year old groups will register at 10 a.m. The 10 and 11 year olds at 11 a.m. and the eight and nine year olds at noon.

The 12-14 year age group are scheduled to swim from 11:15 a.m. to 1 p.m. There will be a 25¢ charge.

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Heading for California before the holidays are the Pat Byers family of Normandy, Algerie to Michigan winters. Mrs. Byers and the younger Byers children will make Herrero Springs their home once more after Dec. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deneau of Redfern road spent the weekend in New York for shopping and an evening of theatre.

Joan Carol and Mary Margaret Gregory were home Friday at the Christmas party of the John Paul Jones Society—DAR at their home on Susanne.

An auxiliary of the Louisa St. Clair Chapter of Detroit's DAR where their mother is a member, the girls prepared a buffet for 17, followed by a program of Stephen Foster music and a white elephant auction.

State president Mrs. Hector Chabot and son, Paul, were honor guests.

Hardly unpacked from their trip to Philadelphia at Thanksgiving time, Mr. and Mrs. George Bluffman of Seenic are attending a convention in Chicago this week.

Final tabulations of receipts from the Franklin Village players benefit show "Mr. Angel" in November, reveal the Franklin school playground fund netted a tidy \$500 from the effort, for which the PTA says "thank you." They're also saying "thank you" to the many families who have already sent in their playground contribution to assure the success of the big project.

Pack B-11 Cub Scouts will be remembering hospitalized children by bringing gifts to place under the Christmas tree at their Dec. 18 meeting, 7:30 p.m. in the multipurpose room at Franklin school.

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### Women to Hear 'Gardens of Bible' Talk in Franklin

**FRANKLIN**—World traveler, Mrs. John Carritte, will speak on "Gardens of the Bible" at 12:30 p.m. Dec. 17 at the Franklin Community church for WSCS circle members.

DAUGHTER of Dean Marcus, the first pastor of Christ Church Cranbrook, Mrs. Carritte visited the gardens she speaks of in travels through Europe and Africa. Her voice is one of the few selected to record for the blind. She was once president of the Detroit Women's City club.

FOLLOWING the program, to which all women of Franklin and the area are invited, a Christmas tea will be served. Mrs. Robert Swift and Mrs. C. W. Truxall are hostess chairmen for the Friendly circle. Mrs. Leonard Pogue and Mrs. C. A. Miller are hostesses for the Evening circle and Mrs. H. Jones, Mrs. Donald Webster and Mrs. Charles Hall will represent the Fellowship circle.

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### Lathrup Advised Of Southfield Inconsistencies

**LATHRUP**—With the development of Southfield road property south of Lathrup's city limits, Lathrup's City Development Advisory Committee has suggested that the council consider placing city officials, including developers and business men, on the south border.

Development advisory committee Secretary Gordon Kingsbury said there were "inconsistencies" in Southfield road zoning in Lathrup where property is assigned for single residence use, whereas the best interests of Lathrup would be served by reasoning to include the multiple and business uses.

The committee pointed out the new developments on Lathrup's south border, a new subdivision and a business installation of nine to 11 stores on Southfield road.

Lathrup city council held a special study meeting Monday to investigate the problem.

### 3 Named to Board Of Wood Creek Civic Association

**FRANKLIN**—Three new members were elected to the Wood Creek Civic association board of directors at an annual dinner held last week.

Dr. Conrad Lam and Edward Carden will serve three-year terms. Richard Taylor was named to fill an unexpired one-year term.

With Robert Swift, Eric Janzon, Everett Bilou and William Thompson remaining on the board, the seven man group will elect officers Jan. 8.

It takes 200 pounds of grass to make one pound of beefsteak.

### S'held Kiwaniqueens Hold Party Tonight At Graham Home

**SOUTHFIELD**—The Southfield Kiwaniqueens' annual Christmas party will be held at 8 p.m. tonight at the home of Mrs. Richard Graham, 2680 Waycross road.

The program will include a reading by Hans Wolf and Chock. Mrs. Graham will be the guest of honor. The program will be a girls' trio from Southfield high school.

Mrs. Will Oliver, 23975 Beech road, is the new club treasurer. Other present officers will continue their duties until September of 1959 in accordance with a change in the club constitution providing for beginning the club year in September instead of January.

### Lathrup Players To Meet Tonight

**LATHRUP**—The Lathrup Players will hold their Christmas meeting this evening in Community Congregational church Fellowship Hall.

Following a quick business meeting and a Christmas reading, the group will resume rehearsal of "The Curious Savage," a three act play by John Patrick to be presented 8-9 for the benefit of the Woman's association of the church.

### Clarkson Attends Tax Conference

James Clarkson, newly elected Democratic state representative from the fourth district, has flown to Pittsburgh to attend a conference on "Land Value Taxation and Free Enterprise." The conference is being led by Pittsburgh's Mayor and Governor-Elect David L. Lawrence. Mayor Lawrence will speak on Pittsburgh's progress under the graded tax plan.

The Pennsylvania conference is part of a celebration in honor of Pittsburgh's bi-centennial and the forty-fifth anniversary of their adoption of the graded tax plan.

### Small Business Owners

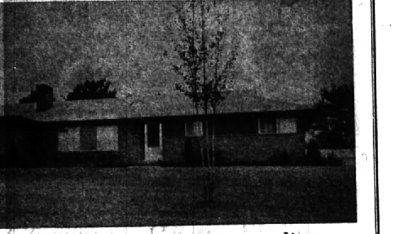
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