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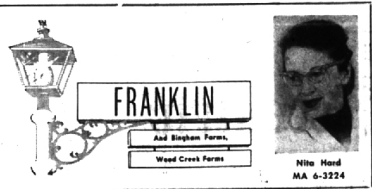
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## Paper and Pancakes On Scouts' Agenda

FRANKLIN — Glad tidings bound to inspire dancing in the streets is the news that the Richard Foris are moving back to Franklin and Boy Scout Troop B-11 will have a paper drive in April after all.

Troop B-11 deserves a salute for its decision to follow through with its spring paper drive. Scheduled for the middle of April, scouts and their buds will be ready to pickup bundled papers and magazines, despite lagging scrap paper prices.

Also, in cooperation with the Franklin Volunteer Fire Department, Inc., scouts are contacting all homes in the area to see if such is equipped with a fire extinguisher.

For a nominal donation, to defray the cost of the program, they are distributing extinguishers where needed.

Annual pancake supper tickets are also being distributed for the April 21 event at the Franklin Community Church. Don Webster is in charge this year.

And Franklin's official tree, the Mountain Ash, is also available from the troop.

Formerly of Romey Road and presently of Kokomo, Ind., the Foris—Mary, Dick, Monica, Maurcen, Mark, Michael and Michelle—have been bivouacked at the Richard Probst home on Normandy all this week, rejoicing in a spring vacation and house hunting. All things being equal they should be ready to return permanently early this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Hunter of Colony Hill have returned from a 25-day Caribbean cruise aboard the Danish ship Susane Skou. Stopping at seven ports, they spent three days in New Orleans before embarking and several days amidst the azaleas in Mobile upon their return.

It comes as no small surprise that Hunter was bestowed with "Fifth Engineer" papers by crew to commemorate his interest in the workings of the ship.

The Ted Kellers of Franklin Road eluded the south-bound traffic to Florida over and done with. They spent nearly three weeks 'doing' the east coast of the state, with Palm Beach as headquarters.

College students have been arriving in undulating waves, with MSU people ready for their third term to start Monday, and U of M folk just beginning their spring holiday.

Barbara Winkel and Martha Hill

have been home from Purdue this week.

Soon too, is Barbara Williams of Luerne Drive, home from Lindenwood.

Fritz Gehl is home from Wittenberg College, in Springfield, Ohio.

Preliminary plans for the WCSB spring fashion show April 20 are snapping up to include lovely things chosen by the Pennypinchers and Margi Franzel. Hair styles will be by Gerald and Chet and appropriate touches will be added by Franklin Interiors, Inc. Mrs. Edward Green is in charge of committees arranging the tea details.

With an eye toward summer, meetings are being held to plan the Franklin Day Camp program. Equipment is being checked out to decide what new features can be added and what needs repair. Ted Keller is president of the group this year. Mrs. Mary Franco has been requested to direct the camp activities once again.

Brandishing a sword with gusto, Susan Hard followed in good tradition as she made her stage debut last week in the Junior Girl's production at U of M as Athala in the original, "Teatista"—Abstract spelled backwards.

## Baseball League Tryouts April 15

FRANKLIN — Tryouts for Franklin's Little Baseball League will be at 9 a.m., April 15 on the field behind the Franklin Community Church for boys eight through 12 years old.

Registration blanks have been distributed to the schools in the Franklin, Wing Lake, Meadowdale and Bingham Farms area. They are available from members of the committee headed by George Walker Jr.

The League has been expanded to eight teams this year, each will play a schedule of 21 games each. The season starts the second week of May and continues through June and July.

PLANS ARE formulated for the Babe Ruth League for boys from 13 through 15 years of age. Details will be announced later.

Serving on the combined committee for the Little Baseball and Babe Ruth Leagues this year are Walker, president; Harold Geiger, vice president; Charles Otto, secretary and Jim Pfizer, treasurer.

Others on the board of directors are: Jim Allen, William Byrum, William Fraser, George Howard, Joseph Juett, Jack Kershaw, Ray Marx, Adam Schubel and Robert Thompson.

## New Officials In Bingham Start Work

BINGHAM FARMS — Newly elected officials, councilmen Donald Johnston Jr., clerk Mrs. Carl Kalmbach and assessor David Stanny, had a nice and easy orientation to their jobs Monday night.

## Richardson Named Department Head

Promotion of Professor James R. Richardson, 764 W. Lincoln, Birmingham, to chairman of Lawrence Institute of Technology's Civil Engineering department has been announced by President E. George Lawrence.

Richardson received his B.S. degree from the United States Military Academy and M.S. degree from Harvard.

Paul Political Adv.

A short, uneventful council meeting brought them up to date on village business with a road report from Donald Morse, a discussion on signs and a review of the swimming pool ordinance due to go into effect May 1.

Morse disclosed that Bingham Farms roads were getting their spring grading and drains were to be cleaned up shortly. A review of culverts needing attention was focused on the Bristol Lane area. Johnston was appointed new rubbish commissioner.

NO PARKING, no loitering, no dumping signs were suggested for

new secluded roads like Orchard Trail, which is not built and seems to be a favorite spot for nocturnal visits.

All residents owning swimming pools have been contacted regarding the pending enforcement of the ordinance passed last fall, which will go into effect May 1. Owners have one month left to bring their pools up to the standards and regulations of the law.



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