

## Boy Scouts Earn Badges on Outing

Troop 1066 from St. Regis spent the weekend of Oct. 2 at Bald Mountain near Lake Orion. Approximately 60 boys and ten fathers took part in the campout.

The boys worked on badge requirements for the candidate scouts, both first and second class badges

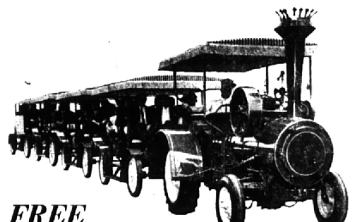
and counseling. At the Court of Honor badges were awarded and two became Eagle Scouts, Benjamin Scheive and Robert Busch. The troop now has ten Eagle Scouts.

At the meeting the boys were given instructions on the sale of Christmas wreaths, the main endeavor of the year by which revenue is realized to purchase the camping equipment. This year the boys will be offering three sizes of wreaths in addition to roasting.

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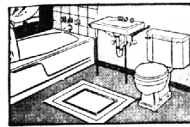
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## 15 Cranbrook Seniors In Merit Semifinals

By DAVID GILBERT  
Special Writer

On Oct. 5 it was officially announced that 15 Cranbrook seniors had become semi-finalists in the National Merit Scholarship competition. In addition, six others received letters of commendation.

The semi-finalists are virtually assured of becoming finalists as soon as they have filled out the proper forms. When they do become finalists, they are eligible for scholarship grants of up to \$1,500 a year for four years.

LAST SPRING the National Merit Scholarship Corporation administered a qualifying test to juniors in all 50 states. The 1,000 students who became semi-finalists represent the top one per cent of the graduating classes in each state.

Because the students represent the top one per cent in their individual states, the necessary qualifying scores differ in each state; Michigan stands in the middle of the states with a minimum qualifying score of 144. Of the 15 Cranbrook semi-finalists, seven would have qualified in any state.

The semi-finalists from Cranbrook are Ted Bunt, Dave Craig,

Jeff Doan, Peter Elliott, Dave Gilbert, Bob Helms, Jim Hsu, Pike Brice, Larry Landry, Lance Leithausser, Eric Muirhead, Paul Pillar, Bill Schlette, Reed Shafer and Tom Pillar, who had a score of 156, was topped by only eight other students in the state.

THE SIX who received letters of commendation include Peter Beale, Tom Cobb, Gregg Dear, Buzz Howard, Mike Turkelson and Bill Wood. These are boys who scored between 138 and 144 on the qualifying test.

One point of interest is that, among the Detroit suburban areas, Bloomfield Hills was top with 20 semi-finalists. Cranbrook students represent 15 of these 20.

The oil industry plays a big role in the nation's \$150 billion a year "agri-business," the growing, processing and marketing of farm products. Farmers use more oil than any other segment of the nation's economy. In addition to fueling tractors and trucks, oil also provides the raw materials for such farm essentials as fertilizers and weedkillers.

## B'field Country Day Picks Class Officers

By SUSAN JUDD  
Special Writer

The first project of "Les Domesnes," our charity organization, this year, is donating to the National Guild fall membership.

Each year in the fall the Guild collects new clothing for needy organizations. On Oct. 6 Mrs. Donald Nimmo spoke to the girls about their part in this project.

On Monday, Oct. 5, Mrs. Bruc Bigelow, assistant Dean of Admissions at Pembroke College in Brown University, joined us for lunch. Afterwards, she spoke to the juniors and seniors about college life at Pembroke.

INDIVIDUAL class elections were held last week. The new officers of the senior class are Nina Spitzley, president; Jill Young, vice president; Dale Hower, secretary; Judy Rogers, student council representative; Bonnie Rotenberg, social committee representative; and Patti Richter, Les Domesnes representative.

Suzanne Roper is the new president of the junior class. The other officers are Judy Winstock, secretary; Phyllis Borin, social committee representative; and Doty Wilson, Les Domesnes representative. Sue Mosier, president; Becky Evans, secretary; Barb Kozelman, social committee representative; and Tara Crow, Les Domesnes representative are the sophomore class officers.

The new class officers of the freshmen class are Wend Mitchell, president; Kathy Fisch, secretary; Mary Ellen Bergmoser, social committee representative; and Shaonn Herridge, Les Domesnes representative.

KATHY BULL is the new presi-

## Six Churches Plan Canvass For UNICEF

Plans for the annual UNICEF "Trick or Treat" have been made by a group of churches in Birmingham for the Sunday prior to Halloween, Oct. 25, between 2 and 5 p.m.

The young people participating in this drive will meet at the First Methodist Church for a short briefing and moment of dedication. They will then canvass homes in assigned areas.

Churches participating are First Baptist, First Methodist, Congregational, First Presbyterian, Franklin Community and St. James Episcopal. Other churches or groups who are interested in being assigned an area should contact Rev. Bill Cwell of the First Presbyterian Church.

LAST YEAR almost 300 young people collected over \$1,000 for the life-saving work of the United Nations Children's Fund. That provided 25,000 glasses of milk for hungry children and 10,000 shots of penicillin to make sick children well.

The United Nations Children's Fund is the world's largest international effort on behalf of children. It has been working to improve their lot since 1946. It started as a post-war emergency project for the millions of children in war-torn lands.

Later, UNICEF turned its attention to the meeting of the long-range needs of children in programs of health, disease control, nutrition and social services. UNICEF is currently giving assistance to over 500 projects in 116 countries.

If UNICEF is to continue its work effectively it must receive a continuing support of citizens and governments all over the world.

## Local Woman Will Visit UN Church Center

The new church center for the United Nations in New York City symbolizes the concern of the churches of the world for the peace of the world.

Across the plaza, the UN is the hope of nations, new, old and emerging, to find ways to live together in peace.

The National Staff of United Church Women has invited members of the states to a seminar, the individual states each having been designated a two-day session.

MRS. FRANCIS B. SHAW, 4301 Meadowlark Court, will attend on Michigan's days, Oct. 27-28, sponsored jointly by her own church, First Methodist at 1208 W. Maple, and the Birmingham Council of United Church women.

While there, she will tour the new church center and after a briefing by the United States Mission to the UN, will attend two regular UN Sessions.

One of Mrs. Shaw's reasons for going to the seminar is to help her see point and meaning to the U.C.W. World Community Day Program of which she is chairman.

## Hosts Card Party

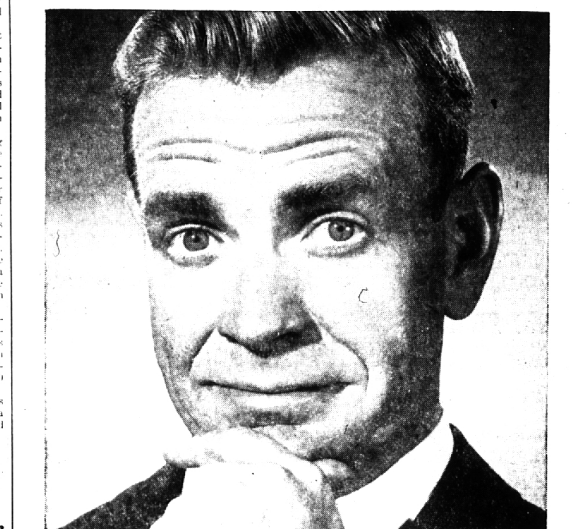
St. Anne's Guild of St. David's Episcopal Church, Southfield, is sponsoring a card party at 8 p.m. today at the church. A donation will be accepted at the door.

## Fellowships Meet At Pilgrim Church

Pilgrim Congregational Woman's Fellowship afternoon group will meet Monday at 12:30 p.m. at the William Arvosen home, 18025 S.W. Diego, Lathrup Village. The evening group met Wednesday at the Wallace Henry home, 1400 Dursey Rd.

On Oct. 23, the annual budget meeting will be held at the Birmingham YMCA, 400 E. Lincoln, with a potluck dinner slated at 6:15 and the meeting at 7:45 p.m.

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Clarification of Woodward Avenue's traffic signal problems will begin with the addition of two new overhead lights at Brown and Woodward, Police Chief Ralph W. Mosley said this week. Monday night the City Commission approved the purchase of the two new signals at a cost of \$400.

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