



Photo by Pauline Briney

Graduation ceremonies for the preschool Reading Hour program were held Wednesday morning, and the "graduates" were Rochelle Cook, Crystal Conley, Amy Wells, Leslie Rodman, Krista Macklin, Joyee Carroll, John Wright, Coy Williams, Mark Fowler, Matthew Stevenson, Lincoln Lynch, Bethany Adrian, Patrick Carr, Travis Ryherd, Ashton Waggoner, Trevor Bernstein, Rusty Yantis, Lance McLain and Mary Ann Graven. The program is sponsored by the Findlay Junior Woman's Club.



Photo by Pauline Briney

Three Findlians among 1,500 EIU graduates

Three Findlay students are among approximately 1,500 students who participated in spring commencement ceremonies at Eastern Illinois University Saturday, May 10 in Charleston.

Stephen Andrew Baker received a master of science degree in education, Patricia G. Spellman received a bachelor of science degree and Larry Ray Jackson received a bachelor of science degree.

Degrees were conferred pending completion of all requirements for graduation.

Honorary degrees were presented to internationally known historian Norman Graebner, Doctor of Humane Letters, and to former Ambassador to the United Nations Donald McHenry, Doctor of Laws.

Mark R. Johnson graduates from LLC

The name of a Findlay student was inadvertently omitted from the Lake Land College graduation list which appeared in the Enterprise last week.

Mark R. Johnson of Findlay received an associate in applied science degree Friday, May 16 in commencement ceremonies held at Lake Land College. He majored in automotive science.

We regret the error.

Plans are being made for two graduation ceremonies and a baccalaureate service. This year for the first time, junior high graduation will be held one day before high school graduation.

The baccalaureate service will be held at 8 p.m. Sunday, May 25.

Gas fund continues to help sewer fund

By Cherise Cruik

Enterprise Editor

Once again the Findlay Village Board "robbed Peter to pay Paul" when they backed off from raising sewer rates and raided the gas fund to compensate for losses in the sewer fund.

Treasurer Joan Lucas was first to point out the sewer revenue account didn't hold enough cash to pay the bills presented to the board Monday night. Included with these bills was a \$4,000 invoice for engineering work to replace control panels in the sewer plant.

Last month the village board transferred \$1,600 from the gas fund to pay an engineering bill.

Lucas presented the final treasurer's report for fiscal 1985 (May 1, 1985 to April 30, 1986) and according to the report, sewer revenue fell far short of expenditures. Sewer revenue was \$65,847.85 with expenditures being \$69,480.

Mayor Pauline Briney said, "I sure would like to find a way to pay (sewer expenses) without draining the gas fund."

With engineering bills of \$1,600 and \$4,000 and upcoming costs of \$10,000 to repair the control panel, trustee Bob Cox questioned from where the money to pay for these projects was going to come, "and we haven't even got to the tertiary filter yet." This phase of the sewer rehabilitation project is estimated by the engineers to cost \$200,000 with a pledge by the E.P.A. to fund only half the cost.

Another cost associated with the sewer plant which will be an added burden to the fund is upcoming work to drain the activated sludge plant, and clean, repair and paint the system. The E.P.A. requested this work be done following an inspection last month.

During a discussion on from where all the money was going to come to pay for the engineering and other costs associated with these projects, Cox proposed abandoning the plant, which is five years old, in favor of a lagoon system. "I just feel it's something you can consider."

Sewer plant commissioner Ron McClain said he doubted the E.P.A. would fund a new plant.

A lagoon system was proposed by the first engineer, Clark, Dietz & Associates of Urbana, for the village on the sewer plant. The firm proposed the system in the early 1970s, but it was not adopted by the village board because of the cost and restrictions on such a system being located near Lake Shelbyville.

Eventually, the board decided to transfer \$10,000 from the gas fund into the sewer revenue account to pay the bills for this month and the next few months.

Two members, Dwight Riley and Dave Thurber, expressed opinions that once the plant is repaired and functioning properly that revenue

will cover expenses. It was also pointed out that with the resort as a sewer customer, that revenues would increase.

IN OTHER ACTION, the board voted to close the alleys to vehicles weighing over 10,000 pounds. An ordinance was approved last month to close the alleys on a temporary basis. Street and Alley commissioner Larry Rodman wondered if the alleys could be closed when the weather conditions remained dry.

Board discussions over the past several months on the conditions of the alleys have centered on garbage trucks using the alleys and tearing them up during wet weather conditions.

Trustee Ron McClain pointed out that even with dry conditions, the approaches to the alleys were being torn up by the garbage trucks, and he made the motion to close the alleys.

A registered letter will be sent to the two trash haulers in the community, and a sign will be posted in the village hall to the effect that the alleys are closed to vehicles over 10,000. The ordinance provides for an exception to be made for emergency vehicles.

Property owners with weed filled yards will be receiving letters to clean up their property. Riley asked if the board was ready to act on property owners who were not in compliance with the nuisance ordinance.

Riley will also be working with the Shelby County Health Dept. on property — including buildings — that present a hazard in the community. Some buildings may need to be torn down and others just remodeled.

Village attorney Mike Kiley told Riley to contact Becky Fathauer or Wanda Price in the health department.

UTILITY SUPERVISOR Doug Ryherd told the board that work on the gas main extension at Adams Comer west of Lake Shelbyville should be complete by today (Friday) or Monday at the latest.

He also told the board that he has ordered materials to spray for mosquito abatement.

Kiley asked the board to start looking at next year's appropriations ordinance. "It's time to be looking at appropriates for the next year," he said.

Briney said she would set a study session for the board to review appropriations.

Briney told the board that she has been contacted by Garland Strohl, administrator of Shelby Memorial Hospital, about obtaining a building for several Shelbyville physicians to have office hours in Findlay.

She said Strohl told her the doctors would have office hours in Findlay three or four days a week. A Shelbyville doctor who recently retired left his equipment, and the hospital would use this equipment for a Findlay office.

"We need a building," she said and asked the board to make suggestions.

The next scheduled meeting of the board falls on the Memorial Day holiday, Monday, May 26, and a meeting will not be held that evening. However, no other meetings were set.

School year winding down

The school year is winding down for students enrolled in Findlay Community Unit schools.

The last full day of classes for Findlay students will be Friday, May 30. Students can report to their schools Tuesday, June 3 for report cards.

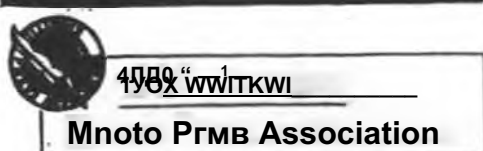
Findlay Junior High School promotion exercises will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday, May 29. The Findlay High School graduation ceremony will be held at 8 p.m. Friday, May 30.

There will be no school held Monday, May 26 in Findlay schools in observance of Memorial Day.

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The May meeting of the St Mary's Church W.L.C.L. was held Friday afternoon in the brane of Nellie Stewardson.

Wynn Herron spent Saturday afternoon and evening with Floyd Shoemaker.

Funeral services for Letha Pogue were held Monday morning, May 15 in the Rhea Funeral Home.

The Future Homemakers of America chapter of Findlay High School held their annual Spring Style Show in the school gym May 5.

George Edward "Bud" Klein is spending three weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Klein. He was being in Germany and

is being transferred to Utah.

Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Liebman and family spent Saturday night and Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Chris Uphoff.

EJR. James of Decatur spent Sunday in Findlay visiting relatives and old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Asberman and Vicky of Caracas, Venezuela, Alice Bridges of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Charles White spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coventry, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Mayberry and Mrs. Cora Brown motored down to Eagle Creek Monday to see the high water. They report the water was so high they could not get through.

Five Yean Ago

"Always and Forever" is the theme of the annual Findlay High School Junior-Senior Prom to be held tonight (Friday) in the high school gym.

Mike Duckett of Findlay was one of only eight students to receive a University of Illinois scholarship award.

A 75 pound doe was an unexpected guest of the United Methodist Church on Monday evening. The deer leaped through a basement window and was roped inside the church by Wendell Minor and Doug Doss. Conservation officer Dan Bowers and park ranger Max Rhoads took the doe to Eagle Creek State Park, and despite her injuries she took off into the park.

Findlay Grade School teacher Madeline Van Keuren of Shelbyville will receive her master of science degree in education from Eastern Illinois University in Charleston.

Twenty-seven senior citizens enjoyed the annual May Day party held last Friday in the basement of the United Methodist Church. The party was sponsored by the Findlay Junior Woman's Club.

Reta Benner returned home Friday after spending eight weeks with her son, Charles Benner and family of Coca, Fla.

The men of the Findlay Southern Baptist Church served a bountiful meal Tuesday evening to 36 mothers, daughters raid grandmothers for their mother-daughter banquet.

MeThinks by Pauline Briney

Mother's Day has come and gone, and I had a lovely day. I hope all of you mothers did too.

I spent some time, more than usual, thinking of my mother and how different Mother's Day was when I was a child. I guess the nice gifts and the lovely breakfast I had with my daughters and their families made my mind wander back to those long ago Mother's Days.

I can remember thinking we were really doing something when we cooked breakfast and served it to mom in bed. When I remember it now, she had to be SOME mom to even act like she appreciated it, but she really did. I know it was a crummy breakfast with 16 little hands mixed up in it. Everyone wanted to have a part in it 'cause it was a special breakfast for a special mom. Looking back now I can remember it wasn't only the toast that was crummy, the rest of it didn't look too good either. And we messed up the whole kitchen doing it.

The gifts we gave her were little cheapies we bought for probably 29 cents at the dime store, but she loved every one of them. It may be true that poor people have poor ways, but we had a good time and didn't really realize we were poor.

I just have to tell you that my mom was a special mom with love to spare and love to share. I'd be proud to be half the person she was.

Since I've been hearing and reading so much about nuclear disasters I'm thinking I wish the wonderful invention had never been made. I wish the whole world would agree to do away with all nuclear plants, but I don't know that there's a good way to dispose of them. Even that would be a humongous problem.

Methinks we're getting too smart for our own good. I think I'd rather live with less power and do away with the nuclear dangers.

If you've read this column very many times you know that I have six sisters. Six of us spent a part of last week together, and it was a fun, fun time. One was still in Florida and couldn't make it, but it's a rare occasion when six of us can get together anymore. Since you don't know my sisters I'll admit to you that I'm the old fogey of the group. The rest of them have a sense of humor you wouldn't believe. Not me. I catch onto a joke a week after I hear it. I don't know why I got left without a sense of humor, but I really enjoy theirs.

I like to keep you informed on what's going on in Findlay. Especially about the things that are not news items yet. Like the dental office that should be completed soon. It really becomes a newsworthy item when it's completed. We might soon have a doctor's office also. That is if we can find a building to house it. I talked to Garland Strohl, administrator of Shelby Memorial Hospital, a couple of times about it, and there are doctors there who would be willing to spend an afternoon each week here in Findlay. The hospital has the equipment, so that's no problem. We need a doctor's office here so we gotta figure a way to find a place to put it. Right? To me there's a sense of security in having a doctor in town, and besides it is a lot more convenient. We need a building that can have a waiting room and two examining rooms. Any ideas?

Lunch menus

Monday, May 19 — Hamburger on a bun, french fries, cheese and pickles, fruit.

Tuesday, May 20 — Turkey roast, green beans, cheese and pickles, fruit ices.

Wednesday, May 21 — Spaghetti with meat sauce, green beans, cheese and pickles, fruit.

Thursday, May 22 — Fried chicken, biscuits and gravy, mixed vegetables, fruit.

Friday, May 23 — Tuna and ham salad sandwiches, com, cheese and pickles, fruit.

! Say it in a
letter to
the editor !

Hospital Notes

Betty Fogleman returned to her home Saturday after having spent a week in St. Mary's Hospital in Decatur.

Dean Dunham is a patient in Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Everett Wildman was admitted last Friday to Decatur Memorial Hospital. His room number of 5166.

Rainfall report

Almost no rain fell over Shelby County during the week of May 2-8. The high was .7 of an inch in Ash Grove and Big Spring townships with most of the other townships recording just a trace or no precipitation.

In northern Shelby County, the rainfall was zero and a trace in Pickaway Township and zero in Todd's Point, Pen, Ridge and Okaw townships.

Findlians in the news

Paul Brooks of Shelbyville, Bill Brooks of Decatur, Tom and Charlotte Newman, Penny and Keri and Dan Miller had Mother's Day dinner at Jim and Co.'s.

Mother's Day guests of Paul and Edna Enoch were Eugene and Kathy Enoch, Josh, Sarah and Heidi of Edwardsville and Judy Miner, Chris, Mark and Brian of Decatur.

Colleen Robinson of Sullivan, Glen and Irene Ferrell of Windsor, Pauline Briney of Findlay, Barry, Lori and Nikki Robinson of Bethany, Brett Robinson of Bloomington, Barry and Kathy Martin, Darby and Karly of Springfield and Lori and Heather Wiszo-Waty of Bethany had Mother's Day breakfast with Connie, Wayne and Bart Robinson of Bethany.

Clarence and Joyce Owens and her mother Mildred Skelton spent Sunday in Decatur with then-daughters and families. They had dinner at the Red Lobster restaurant to celebrate Mothers Day.

Pauline Briney spent four days last week visiting her sisters and their families in Mattoon, Effingham and Farina. On Saturday they all enjoyed a family dinner at the former home of their parents. Six of the seven sisters were able to attend.

Bill and Susie Massey, Ruth Yantis and Stacy Prosser of Shelbyville were Mother's Day guests of Jack and Terry Yantis, Karyn and C.W.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wingo of Westervelt and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wright had Mother's Day dinner in Hillsboro at the Country Corral.

Glen and Mary Wright, Jennifer and John spent Sunday evening with Lloyd and Nita Wright.

Lloyd and Nita Wright spent Monday and Tuesday with Karla Sharp and family of Eldorado.

Bernard and Patty Manley of Columbus, Miss, and her sister, Sandy Bridgman of Findlay called Saturday afternoon on Bemole and Bemeice Manley. Bernard and Patty Manley called again Monday afternoon on the Manleys.

Bemeice Manley received a call from her son, Derwin Manley of Pacifica, Cal. to wish her a happy Mother's Day.

Sandy Dawdy and Bemeice Manley are playing Tuesday evenings on the Ladies' League at Timberlake Gold Course.

Dale and Norma Park were Mother's Day guests of Bob and Sherry Zakowski, Robbi and Chris.

Norma Park and Carol and Gloria Jones of Decatur had Mother's Day breakfast with their mother Helen Thompson.

Doug Uphoff took Duane and Margie Uphoff and Craig, Tim and Pam Uphoff and Sarah Hardy to dinner Sunday at Guy's in Shelbyville.

Aaron Fogleman spent Friday night and Saturday with Dick and Jeannie Bruce.

Sam and Terry Pasquale and Jarrod of Shelbyville and Debbie Fogleman and Aaron visited on Mother's Day with Dick and Jeannie

Bruce.

Bob and Marilyn Boyer and David of Bethany hosted a Mother's Day dinner at Reggie's in Bethany for Blanche Wilson of Findlay, Ruby Mangner of Shelbyville, Ben Boyer and family of Moweaqua, Ted Boyer of Bethany, Royce and Sally Binion of Sullivan and Loren and Sharon Roberts and family of Mt. Zion.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Wright and June Dixon of Arthur were in Pesotum Saturday afternoon to attend the 50th wedding anniversary celebration for Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Henderson. Mrs. Henderson is the former Mabel Wright of Findlay.

Dean and Mary Harmison visited Thursday morning with Reta Benner.

Jack and Pam Howell, Jerry and Joe, and Sheila Tucker of Findlay, Bill and Helen Schwalbe and Shelly Hunter of Decatur and Steve and Tammy Kingrey and children of Mattoon had Mother's Day dinner in Decatur with Dick and Joann Castleman.

Ober and Mary Livergood and Dave Johnson of Decatur were Mother's Day guests of Sue and Melissa Weakly of Bethany.

David and Julie Bernstein, Wyatt, Trevor and Rachel hosted a Mother's Day dinner for Bill and Nancy Messmore and Jane. Afternoon callers were Dee Ann and Dana Winings, Kara and Rory Arthur and Teresa Sweeney.

Don and Fem Marshall of Bethany and Elaine Riley of Mattoon were Sunday dinner guests of Randy and Nancy Lutz, Alan, Cory and Curtis.

Nancy Lutz had a Trivial Pursuit party Thursday afternoon for Peggy Bowers and Gabe, Annie Lee and Paula Kunzeman and Amanda.

Lance and Elaine Beery, Lisa, Lance, Nick and Brett and George and Marge Beery had supper Sunday with Fred and Frances Melcher and Susie.

Marie Chapman and Katy On-attended a mother-daughter banquet Wednesday night with Joline Chapman at the Windsor Methodist Church.

Joline Chapman of Windsor, Toni and Doug Jackson of Etna and Katy Orr called Sunday afternoon on Robert and Marie Chapman.

John and Helen Gingrey of Shelbyville and John and Sondra Diss, Laura and Angela saw the Decatur Pride home bailgame Saturday night in Decatur. They had supper at Godfather's Pizza after the game.

Ralph and Juanita Graven spent Saturday night and Sunday with Oliver and Lord Graven of Edinburg. On Saturday evening the ladies attended the mother-daughter banquet at the Edinburg Christian Church.

Wilma Camfield attended a mother-daughter banquet Saturday evening at the Cedar Street Christian Church with Jill Camfield and Tori.

Mark, Ty and Brooke Camfield of Illiopolis had Sunday dinner with Lawrence and Wilma Camfield.

Meetings

School Board

The regular monthly meeting of the Findlay School Board will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 14 in the Findlay High School home economics room. All meetings of the school board are open to the public.

Fire Personnel

Volunteer fire personnel of the Findlay Fire Protection Dist. will meet at 9 a.m. Saturday, May 17 in the fire station.

Lion's Club

The Findlay Lion's Club chapter will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, May 19 in the Findlay Community Center.

Lioness' Chib

The Findlay Lioness' Club chapter will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, May 19 in the home of Joyce Owens.

Junior Woman's Chib

The Findlay Junior Woman's Club will meet at 6 p.m. Monday, May 19 at the home of Sondra Diss to carpool for rides to Mattoon. Following dinner at Fat Alberts, a meeting will be held in the home of Nancy Henry.

American Legion

The regular monthly meeting of the Findlay American Legion, Clarence Bixler Post will be held at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 20 in the Legion Hall.

Legion Auxiliary

The regular monthly meeting of the Findlay American Legion Auxiliary, Clarence Bixler Post will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 20 in the Legion Hall.

Cards of thanks

I want to thank everyone for the cards, flowers and prayers offered in my behalf while I was a patient in St. Mary's Hospital.

Betty Fogleman

I want to thank those who made visits, sent cards and offered prayers during my illness. A special thanks to Rev. Eaker and Lavem for their hospital visits.

Mabel Macklin



Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Locke

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Locke to celebrate 50th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Locke of rural Findlay will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with an open reception from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday, May 25 in the Christian Church of Westervelt.

Walter and the former Berniece Bryson were married May 29, 1936 in Gays by H.L. Harrison.

They are the parents of three sons,

Kimberly Lofland engaged to wed

Mr. and Mrs. John Lofland Jr. of Lovington have announced the engagement of their daughter, Kimberly of Sullivan, to Frank Montague of Sullivan, son of Jerry Montague of Sullivan and Lola Rogers of Mattoon.

Montague is employed by Clyde's Engine Repair in Sullivan.

The wedding will be held at 3 p.m. June 24 in the First United Methodist Church in Sullivan.

Methodist Church sets Bible school

Summer Bible school at the United Methodist Church of Findlay will be held from 9 to 11:30 a.m. Monday, June 2 through Friday, June 6.

Any child who was three years old by Dec. 1, 1985 through the sixth grade may attend.

The children will present a program at 10:30 a.m. Sunday, June 8.

Lyle E. of Decatur, Hall D. of Wausaukee, Wis. and Michael R. of Normal. In addition, the Locks have five granddaughters, one grandson and one great-grandson.

Mr. Locke is a retired farmer and carpenter, and Mrs. Locke is a homemaker.

The couple requests the presence of family and friends in lieu of gifts.

Joni Locke receives B.A. fine arts degree

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Locke of Decatur and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Locke of Findlay and Mr. and Mrs. Hal Locke of Wausaukee, Wis., attended graduation ceremonies at Platteville College in Platteville, Wis.

Joni Locke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hal Locke received a bachelor of arts degree in fine arts from the college.

Church hosts 'Image of the Beast'

The third in a series of films about the Great Tribulation predicted in Bible prophecy is to be presented at 7 p.m. Sunday, May 18 in the Findlay First Baptist Church.

"Image of the Beast" is the third film in the series produced by Mark IV Pictures. The other two films which have been shown recently at the church are "A Thief In the Night" and "A Distant Thunder."

Rndlians in the news

Grant and Margaret Woodworth, Leland, Charlene and Aaron Graven and Lynn and Brad Stockdale called Sunday evening on Ralph and Juanita Graven.

Kathryn Stockdale of Shelbyville had Mother's Day dinner with the Don Stockdale family.

Lonnie and Beverly Hoyer and Alonzo of Dietrich spent Saturday and Sunday with Grant and Margaret Woodworth. Brad and Nancy Musser of Beecher City joined them Sunday for supper.

Kay Harris of Decatur called on Mother's Day on Estel and Dorothy Harris.

Juanita Dixon and Dorothy Harris were luncheon guests Friday of Sue Booker of Sullivan to celebrate their birthdays.

Ruth Hubbartt, Debbie Carr, Patrick and Casey, Bill, Laurie and Chelsie Hubbartt and Evaun Lynch had dinner Friday at the Aloha in Decatur.

Darren Durbin of Farina was a supper guest Monday of the Mike Carr family. Bob and Ruth Hubbartt, Bill, Laurie and Chelsie Hubbartt and Mike and Robin Bear joined them later for cake and ice cream to celebrate Mike Carr's birthday.

The Thursday Night Bunco Club met at the Bonanza in Decatur for supper and later had dessert at the Mt. Zion home of Cathy Landreth. Others attending were Kay Roney, Debbie Carr, Sherry Zakowski, Sondra Diss, Laurie Hubbartt, Lynn Farris and Helen Gingrey of Shelbyville.

John and Ellen Atkinson spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Vaughan and family of Decatur. They also celebrated Saturday the graduation of Bridget Vaughan from Illinois State University.

Judy and Bob Kruep, Kimberly and Johnny of Decatur took Margaret Carson to Guy's in Shelbyville for a Mother's Day dinner.

Bob and Colleen Cox, Tamara, Sarah and Matthew had Sunday dinner at Guy's in Shelbyville.

Ben and Sandy Dawdy, Kevin and Krista had Mother's Day dinner at the Airport in Decatur. They later visited Sandy's father Dean Dunham who is a patient at Decatur Memorial Hospital.

Daisy Armstrong and Carrie Burks, Pete and Dorothy Sebens of Decatur, Wayne and Lucille Jeffers of Sullivan and Jim and Brenda Underwood of Maroa were Mother's Day dinner guests of Jim and Shirley Simmering of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. A.F. Baker spent Mother's Day with the Roger Baker family of Eureka.

C. Wayne and Maureen Banks of Granite City spent Sunday with Ruby Banks.

Bill and Roma Allison of Decatur, Denny and Margie Benner of Mt. Zion and Reta Benner had Mother's Day dinner with Davie and Annette Reichart, Shane, Todd and Brett of Charleston.

Allen Townsend of Shelbyville spent the weekend with Harold and Ann Burch. On Sunday the Burches and their guests had dinner with John and Judy Burch and Cindy of Decatur.

Mike and Robin Bear hosted a cookout Sunday evening for Mike and Debbie Carr, Patrick and Casey, Bob and Ruth Hubbartt, and Bill and Laurie Hubbartt and Chelsie.

Solar heating is discussed at Todd's Point extension

Roll call of "Have You Ever Seen a Solar Home?" was answered by 20 members and one guest at the May meeting of the Todd's Point Home Extension Unit. Members and guest, Orpha Mashburn, met in the home of Paula Kunzeman.

The major lesson on solar heating and wood burning stoves was presented by Marilyn Biehler, Shelby County extension adviser. One of the first solar homes was a cave in Mesa Verde (southwestern United States) inhabited by Indians. The dwelling was situated so the sun rays could be absorbed and heat the walls when needed.

Biehler explained to the extension group that solar heat can be obtained through a southern window or by solar collection devices on the outside walls or roof. Other points to remember when using solar energy Biehler said were energy must be

collected, energy must be retained and at times solar energy should be denied by use of shades.

The selected subject on "The Care Of Upholstery" was presented by Paula Kunzeman.

Susan Vadakin announced the new officers for the coming year would be Judy Knierim, president; Marge Uphoff, first vice president; Ruby Banks, second vice president; and Deanna Uphoff, secretary-treasurer. Unit members thanked Betty Coventry for her efforts in selecting new officers.

A motion was approved to donate a 4-H trophy to be used at the Shelby County 4-H and Junior Fair.

A picnic will be held at the July meeting of the home extension unit. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 4 in the home of Irene Lash.

Friendly Club members enjoy special refreshments, program

Refreshments from a local club and a presentation from the Secretary of State's Office were highlights of the Friday, May 9 meeting of the Findlay Friendly Club.

Twenty members and seven guests were present for the meeting and potluck dinner which was held in the Findlay Community Center.

The Findlay Junior Woman's Club served cake and homemade ice cream for dessert at the notai meal. In addition the junior women presented potted flowers to Bemeice Manley, who was born the farthest from Findlay; Floy Gordon, who was the oldest mother; Flo Cutler, who was the youngest mother; and Marjorie Enoch, who was the mother of the youngest child.

The Findlay Grade School third grade class and fifth grade class

sang and danced under the supervision of their students.

Julis J. Monge of the Senior Citizen Dept. of the Secretary of State's office gave a talk on the "Rules of the Road" and also showed a film on "How License Plates Are Made." A total of 30,000 sets of license plates can be made in one day.

Monge gave "silver savers Passport Cards" to everyone. These cards entitle senior citizens to many discounts such as merchandise and services. At present, St. Louis is the closest city that has stores that recognize these cards, but the Secretary of State's office is working on getting the card recognized statewide in Illinois.

During the business meeting, a get well card was signed for Gladys Freeland.

Jackson to seek employment in the government sector



Larry Jackson

Larry Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jackson of Findlay graduated Saturday, May 10 from Eastern Illinois University.

Larry has earned a bachelor of arts degree in political science with a minor in business administration. On campus he was involved in the Christian Campus House and the Model United Nations.

He plans to seek employment in the government sector and continue his education.

Larry was a 1983 graduate of Findlay High School.

Scholarship available

Any member of the Homemakers Extension Assn. I.H.E.F. who has maintained membership for three years is eligible to apply for one of three \$300 scholarships to attend a two or four year accredited college on a full-time basis.

Applications are available at the Extension Office (774-4812) and are due to the selection committee by June 1.

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Happy 80th Birthday Elizabeth on May 16



Getz is temporary cop, village takes applications

By Cbertoe Craft
Enterprise Editor

Village president Pauline Briney told the Findlay Village Board Monday night that Forrest Gets has been hired as a temporary policeman until a permanent village marshal can be hired.

Getz, a Shelby County auxiliary sheriff's deputy, worked as a temporary policeman for Findlay last fall when police officer Jim Giles was attending Police Training Institute in Champaign.

Giles submitted his resignation to the board and has accepted a position as chief of police of Moweaqua.

The village is advertising for a replacement for Giles with the last day for applications to be submitted

as Thursday, May 15.

This date came up for discussion Monday night when trustee Dwight Riley questioned mayor and police commissioner Pauline Briney why the cutoff date was set so early if the board wasn't meeting for a couple more weeks.

She said she had set the date earlier as an application cut-off and there was the possibility a special meeting would be set to review the applications. As of Monday night, four individuals had applied for the job.

Briney also told the board that there was no problem with Getz filling in on a temporary basis. "He doesn't want to do it forever, but he'll do it a month or two."

Weaver resigns from Windsor

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Following a dosed session Monday night, the Windsor School Board accepted the resignation of Windsor High School Principal Michael Weaver of Findlay, who will return next term to the Findlay school system, where he previously worked, as mathematics teacher and assistant high school principal.

Weaver said he wanted to return to a job which keeps him dose to his family.



Photo by Pauline Bhney

Joan Herron was the winner of a beautiful plant in a Mother's Day drawing held at the Jim & Co. restaurant. The plant was presented by restaurant owner Jim Rodgers.

Stitch-N-Time plans family potluck meal

Several members gave demonstrations at the Stitch-N-Time 4-H Club meeting held April 16 in the basement of the United Methodist Church. Following the meeting, members played a game, and refreshments were served.

The next meeting will be the annual family potluck supper to be held at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 21 in the new Findlay Mini Park. Each family should bring two dishes. In case of rain, the potluck supper will be held in the basement of the United Methodist Church.

4-H news

Two 4-H'ers Participate In Conservation Day

Rodney David of Findlay and Lane Glick of Shelbyville represented Shelby County 4-H at the annual Fifth Grade Conservation Day held May 7 at Hidden Springs State Park.

Rodney and Lane spoke to over 300 Shelby County fifth graders in ten different groups there that day. Rodney spoke on his conservation and fishing projects, and spoke on his animal tracks, squirrel project and rock, leaf and insect collections.

4-H Scholarship Applications

All 4-H'ers wishing to submit entries for scholarships to 4-H Camp or State 4-H Conference are reminded that entries must be turned in by 5 p.m. Monday, May 19 to the Extension office.

Guidelines for the applications were printed in the May 4-H newsletter, or may be obtained by calling the Extension office at 774-4812 or 774-4321.

Grade schoolers to take part in 'Hands Across America'

Findlay Grade School students will be part of the Hands Across America promotion to take place Sunday, May 25.

A group of grade school children will travel to Decatur to take part in the nationwide crusade for America's hungry and homeless, according to Jane Hanley, one of the Findlay Grade School teachers

organizing the project.

Any person wishing to donate to Hands Across America may send or bring donations to Findlay Grade School.

Children in the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades will be participating, Mrs. Hanley said. The other teacher helping to organize the project is Marla Shoaff.

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Sherry Cleveland attended the antique show at the Cross County Mall in Mattoon on Thursday and had lunch with Elaine Craig of Sullivan.

Sherry Cleveland visited Sunday afternoon with Willard, Dorothy and Kevin Coventry of Bethany.

John, Sherry and Rhonda Cleveland and James Matlock celebrated Rhonda's 20th birthday and Mother's Day Sunday and enjoyed the Flea Market at the Civic Center in Decatur. On Sunday night

they enjoyed cake and ice cream.

James Matlock treated Rhonda and Sherry Cleveland to a Chinese supper Sunday night at Hunan's in Mattoon to celebrate Rhonda's 20th birthday and Mother's Day.

Morris Nichols, Bob Carpenter and his father, Robert Carprater enjoyed a cookout Friday night at the Carpenter home. Mary, Marsha, Lindsay carpenter and Zetta Nichols went to the mother-daughter banquet Friday night at the Toledo Christian Church.

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John Debbie, Tracy and Alicia Fetter, Jason and Tracy, Tenille Phelps, Doug, Lori, Travis and Tyler Ryherd visited on Mother's Day with Morris and Zetta Nichols. Mike, Jeremy and Zachary Nichols and Brian Nichols visited in the afternoon.

Morris and Zetta Nichols ate supper on Mother's Day at Edi's Daily Bar.

Rich and Kathleen Waggoner, Lindsay, Ashton and Tennille entertained their families for a Mother's Day cookout. Those attending were Woodrow and Marjorie Enoch, Cecil, Sheila, Renee and Allyson Griffith of Decatur and Robert and Pearl Waggoner of Gays., Kathleen Waggoner attended a baby shower for Kathy Lantz of Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Perry and sons of Ridge Farm spent the weekend here visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Cruitt and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Flo Cutler was the Mother's Day dinner guest of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stalling and sons, Corey and Eric, of Macon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Price of Shelbyville and Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Davis of Garrett helped Paulette Davis move Saturday into her new trailer in Mattoon. Zelma Davis prepared the dinner.

Wayne and Lois Cruitt and his mother, Lucille Cruitt of Shelbyville, spent Mother's Day in the Clinton home of Mary Lou Panches. Other visitors were Lloyd and Ruby Ray, Henry and Doris Heiland, Cecil and

Alice Barr, Dick and Sharon Rogers and Amy, Dennis and Pat Panches, Missy and Christian, Alan and Dixie Panches, Kelly and Kayla, Dave and Marla Kneller, Chad, Misty, Brett and Skye.

Mike and Debbie Carr, Patrick and Casey had Mother's Day dinner at the Sirloin Stockade in Charleston and went to Oakland where they sprat the afternoon with his parents, Roy and Ruth Carr.

Joann Green and Kathy and Matthew Alka, Rich, Mary, Mike and Heather Totten joined their parrats Sunday to celebrate the birthday of their father, Raymond Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Chapman entertained 20 members of their Sunday school class for supper Monday evening.

Mary, Mike and Heather Totten and Eula Chapman called Thursday afternoon on Clifford and Dorothy Colclasure in Decatur.

Raymond and Eula Chapman called Thursday afternoon on Mae Henton.

Verla Henton and Eula Chapman visited Monday afternoon with Etta Colclasure.

Mary and Heather Totten and Eula Chapman attended the mother-daughter banquet Saturday night at the Shelbyville Christian Church.

Cherise, John and Emily Cruitt sprat the weekend in Deerfield. Mike Cruitt joined them Sunday afternoon in Plainfield.

Cherise and Emily Cruitt called Thursday afternoon on Ruth Eileen Cruitt.

Obituaries—

Harry C. Cribbet

Funeral services for Harry C. Cribbet, 93, of Bethany were held at 11 a.m. Monday in the McMullin-Young Funeral Home in Bethany. Burial was in the Bethany Cemetery. He died at 8:15 a.m. Friday, May 9, 1986 in Decatur.

Born June 16, 1892 in Macon County, he was a son of John and Jessie Harbert Cribbet. He was a retired farmer, a member of the Presbyterian Church in Bethany, Bethany Masonic Lodge 884 and the Springfield Consistory. He married Velma Starr Oct. 1, 1913 in Bethany, and she died in 1956. He married Hilda Pogue in 1966, and she preceded him in death in 1986.

Survivors include sons, Max of Bethany, Rex of Piper City and Myron of Garland, Texas; daughters, Wilba Sisson of Cape Coral, Fla. and Mary Newlin of Lake Winnebago, Mo.; 14 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

One son and one brother preceded him in death.

The family suggests memorials to Bethany Masonic Lodge 884.

Emerson Thurber

Emerson Thurber, 61, of Belfast, Maine died at Belfast General Hospital at 7:30 a.m. Tuesday, May 12, 1986. He was the father of David Thurber of Findlay.

Funeral services will be held today (Friday) in Belfast, Maine.

Mr. Thurber is survived by his wife; son, David and two daughters, Denise Lindahl of Belfast, Maine and Debbie Dusoe of Benton, Maine.

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